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Records of the

Manor Court of Turton.

TURTON TOWER.

AN ABSTRACT OF THE

Records

of the

Manor Court of Turton

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PREFACE.

THE Manor of Turton assessed as one ploughland, was from the earliest record of it a member of the barony of Manchester. In 1212 it formed part—later called a fourth or an eighth part—of the composite knight's-fee held chiefly by Richard de Lathom, and appears to have been granted to one of the junior members of the Lathom family, who also received the Manor of Tarbock in Huyton. There was, however, a family using Turton as a surname. The manor descended with Tarbock until the beginning of the fifteenth century. John de Torbock, who died in 1420, left a daughter and heir, Elizabeth, who married William Orrell of Orrell, near Wigan, and a partition of the estates was made, Tarbock being secured by the heir male while Turton became the seat of the Orrells. The latter from time to time laid claim to the whole of the estates, but without success. Apart from these law-suits but little record of the family has survived. Ralph Orrell died at Turton on 24th July, 1533, holding the Manor of Turton of Sir Thomas West, Lord La Warre, as of his Manor of Manchester, the mesne lordship of Lathom having probably long been forgotten; the service was unknown to the jury but a rent of 18d. was payable. Ralph Orrell also held lands in Dalton and Wigan, and left as heir his son John, then twenty-five years of age. John Orrell died in 1581, and his son William made a feoffment of the Manor of Turton in that year. William, who built Turton Tower in 1596, was followed by his son and heir John, and the latter by his brother and heir William Orrell, who in 1628 sold the manor to Humphrey Chetham, the founder of

Chetham's Hospital and Library. On Humphrey's death in 1653, he was succeeded at Turton by his nephew George, son of James Chetham. George Chetham was alderman and sheriff of London in 1656, and high-sheriff of Lancashire in 1659-1660; he died at Turton in 1664, and was succeeded by his son James, who held the manor till his death in 1697. His eldest son Samuel followed, and then in 1745, the third son Humphrey, who died unmarried in 1749. Turton then, by his will, went to a cousin, Edward Chetham of Nuthurst, after whose death in 1769 a partition of the estates was made. Alice, his elder sister, who had married Adam Bland, received Turton. She left an only daughter Mary, wife of Mordecai Greene, a Spanish merchant, and their son James was in 1782 placed in posession of the manor of Turton, with Turton Tower, the water corn mill, and other properties. James Greene died in 1814, leaving five daughters as co-heirs, and the estates were divided among them in 1833, Turton Tower and the reputed manor being assigned to the eldest, Mary Anne, wife of Edward Frere of Clydach. They sold it in 1835 to James Kay. The new lord was born at Edgefold, in Entwisle, and was a successful cotton spinner at Preston and Pendleton. He resided at the Tower till his death in 1857. Robert, the eldest surviving son, was incapable of managing the estate, and his younger brother James was the acting owner. He died in 1876 and his son James succeeded, becoming lord of Turton on his uncle Robert's death in 1878. The Tower and the lordship of the manor were in 1903 acquired by Sir Lees Knowles, Bart., who resides at Westwood, in Pendlebury.

There were two ancient Chapels, one at Turton and the other at Walmsley. The former is known to have existed in 1523, and the latter in 1532.

The above valuable and concise history of the Manor of Turton has been most kindly supplied by Mr. William Farrer, F.S.A., the editor of the *Victoria History of Lancashire.*

Unfortunately no records of the Manor Court earlier than those printed in this volume are known to exist. It will be noted that there is a gap in the Records between October 10th, 1740, and June 5th, 1745. The Records here printed are an abstract of those contained in two sheepskin-bound paper volumes. The Courts were held in the Spring and Autumn. The Jury generally consisted of thirteen, seven from the Lower End and six from the Higher End of Turton, and the Court was presided over by the Steward of the Manor or his Deputy. At each Court, Constables, Moss Lookers, Wood Lookers, Fence Lookers, House Lookers, and By-law Men, with Affeerors and an Impounder were appointed, and from October, 1790, the Jurors swear themselves in as Special Constables. The Court principally busied itself with decisions on the repairs of roads, fences, and water courses; trespasses by horses, cattle, poultry, and dogs; harbouring of strangers; improper getting of turf and eavesdropping; and its limit of jurisdiction seems to have been—ordinarily—a penalty not exceeding forty shillings. The Court seems also to have had a judicial jurisdiction up to forty shillings over disputes in civil cases arising within the manor.

The successive Lords and Ladies of the Manor during the period of these Records have been as follows:

1737 Samuel Chetham.
1745 Humphrey Chetham.
1749 Edward Chetham.
1769 Alice Bland widow, Samuel Clowes and Mary his wife.
Oct. 1772 Alice Bland.

Oct. 1774 Mordecai Greene.
Oct. 1787 Mary Greene.
1793 James Greene.
1814 Edward Frere and Mary Ann his wife; Peter Richard Hoare and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Greene spinster, and George Matthew Hoare and Angelina Frances his wife.
May 1816 Instead of Charlotte Alice Greene, Richard Wilkins and Charlotte Alice his wife.
May 1817 Charlotte Alice "Watkins" [*sic*] Wilkins.
Nov. 1818 Anna Sophia Greene is added to the list of Lords and Ladies, she having attained the age of twenty-one.
Nov. 1821 Charlotte Alice Wilkins having married Edward Seymour his name first appears.
May 1824 Edward Seymour and Charlotte Alice his wife disappear from the Lordship.
May 1832 Edward Frere and Mary Ann his wife.
Nov. 1835 James Kay.

The Stewards of the Manor during the period of the Records were:

1737 Henry Moreton.
1745 James Brandwood.
1749 John Hamer.
1761 John Kay.
May 1764 Joseph Smallwood.
1764 John Kay.
1767 John Ridgway.
1801 Charles Barrett.
1835 James Winder.
1848 John Ashworth, junior.

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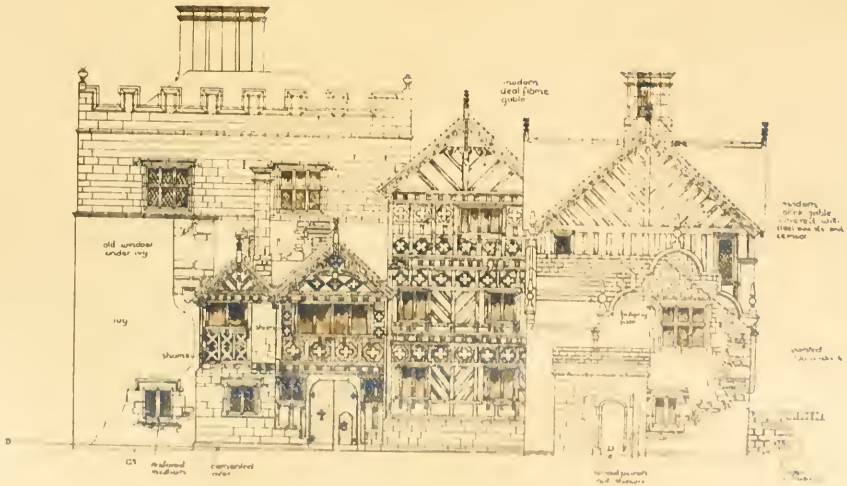
The Fore Court, Turton Tower.

THE GROUND PLAN.

TURTON
TOWER
EAST ELEVATION
8th SCALE



East Elevation.

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TOWER
SOUTH ELEVATION
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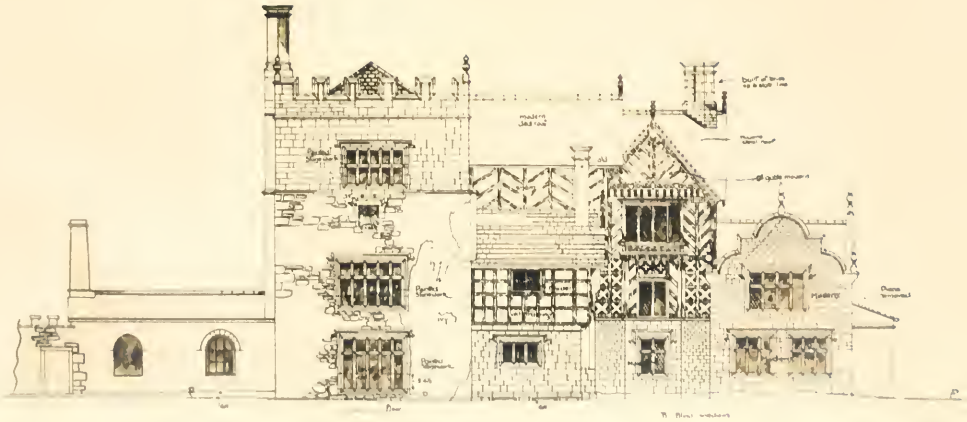

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WEST ELEVATION
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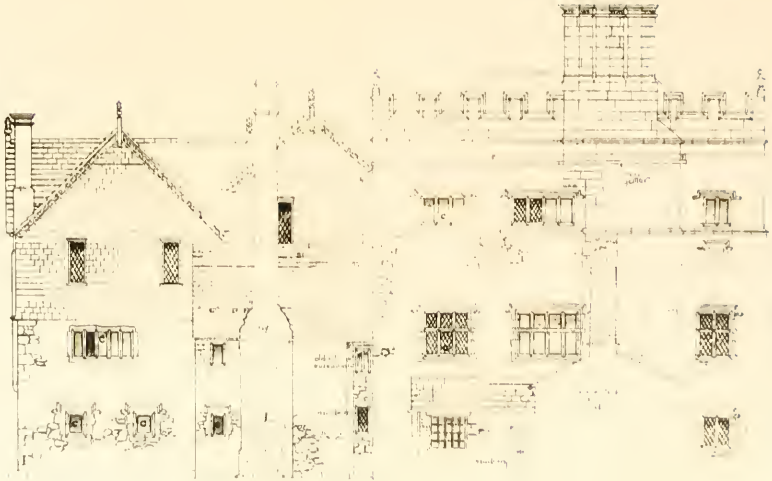

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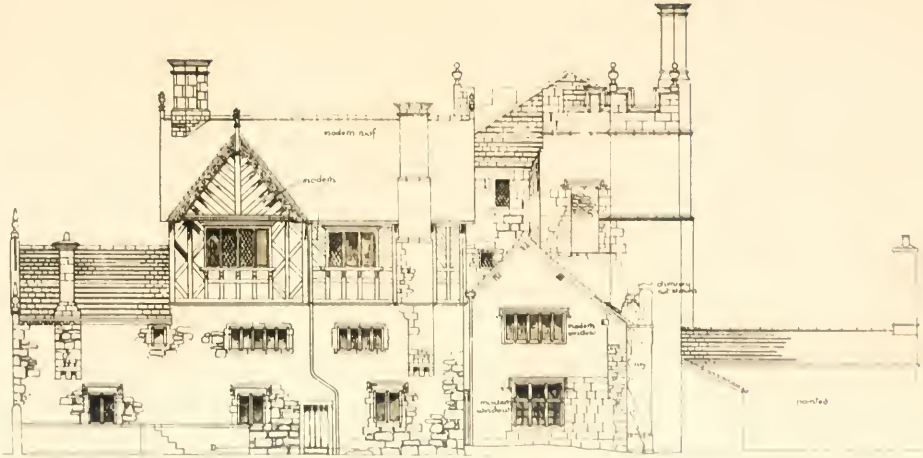

NORTH ELEVATION.

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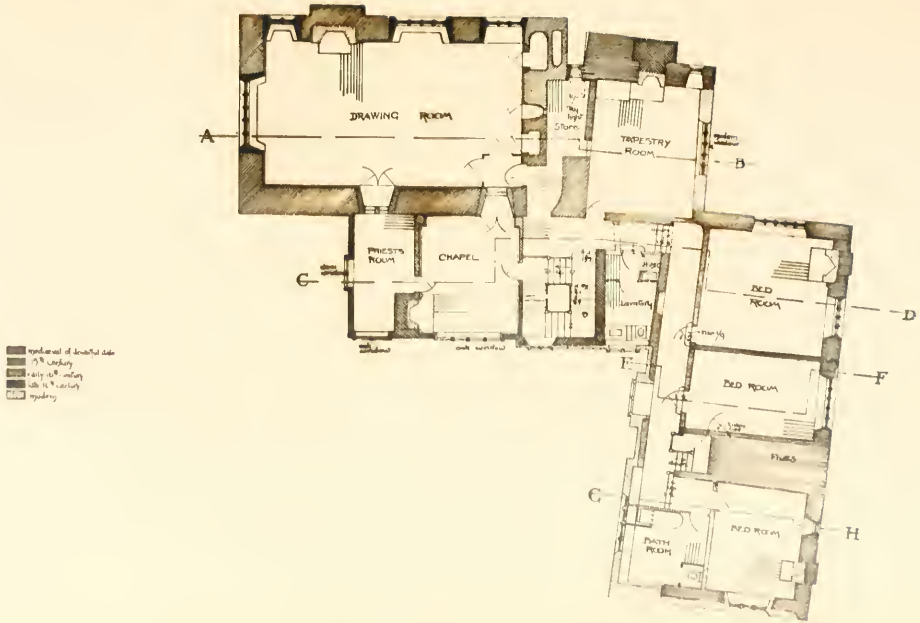
TOWER
FIRST FLOOR
16 FT SCALE



FIRST FLOOR.

TURTON
TOWER
SECOND·FLOOR
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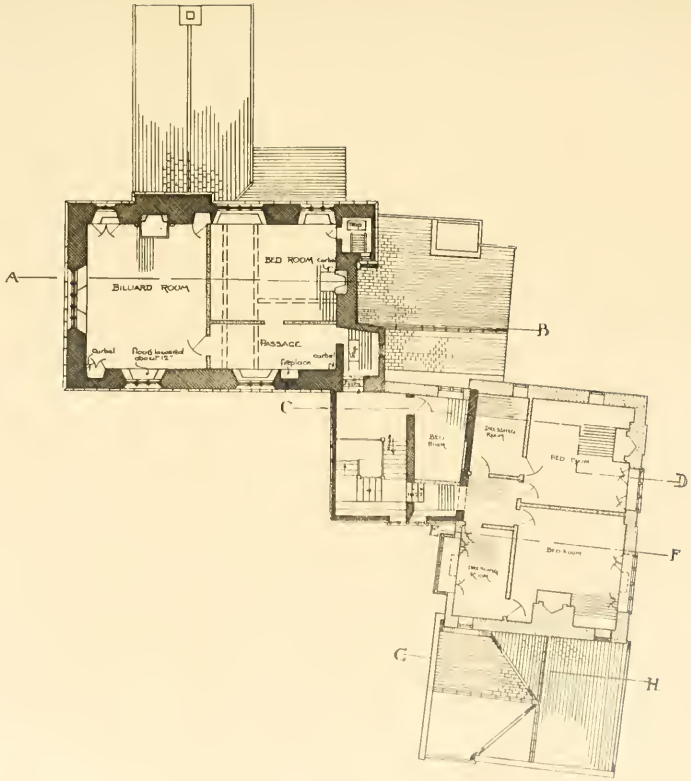

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SECOND FLOOR.

TURTON
TOWER
SECTIONS A-B & C-D
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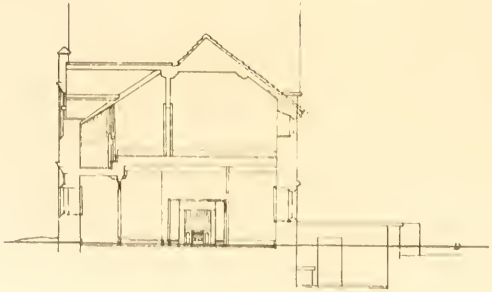
SECTIONS A TO B. AND C TO D.

TOWER
SECTIONS E-F G-H
1/8TH SCALE



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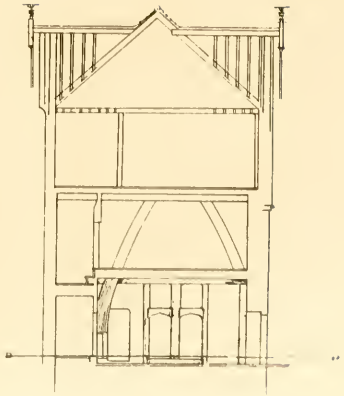

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SECTIONS E TO F, AND G TO H.

Records of
The Manor Court of Turton.

MANNOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WITT

The Court of view of ffree Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuell Chetham Esq[r] Lord of the said mannor held for the said Mannor at Turton aforesaid on Wednesday the fourth day of May in the tenth
1737 year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth Before Henry Moreton Gentleman Steward of the said Court.

An Inquisition Taken the day and year above written to Inquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the Said Mannor upon the oath of

John Battersby sworn

John Orrell Jun.
John Taylor
John Kershaw } sworn

James Warburton
Roger Sharrock
Nicolas Kershaw Sen[r] } sworn

Nicolas Kershaw Jun.
John Wood Sen[r]
Andrew Haslome } sworn

John Ashworth
John Mason
Christopher Mayoh } sworn

James Hoult
James Green } sworn

We present the severall Persons hereunder named for not appearing at this Court and Do amerce them in the severall sumes opposite to their respective names.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Mary Herbert Cross - -	1	0	John Walmisley - - -	1	0
John Marsh - - - - -	1	0	John Thomason - - -	1	0
Thomas ffogg - - - - -	1	0	John Haworth - - - - -	1	0
Nathan Kay - - - - -	1	0	W[m] Holt - - - - - -	1	0

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Thos Kay	1	0	Thos ffielding	1	0
Josiah Holt	1	0	Lawrence ffielding	1	0
Ralph Haworth Junr	1	0	Willm Bury	1	0
James Michell	1	0			
Occts of Willm Mayoh	1	0			

We present Roger Haslome for not sufficiently repairing his part of the Lane Leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce him in the sume of five shillings if not sufficiently Repaired before the twenty fourth day of June next.

We Present John Marsh and James Isherwood for not repairing their Part of the Lane Leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce them in the sume of five shillings each if not sufficiently repaired before the twenty fourth day of June next.

We Present Henry Haworth for not Repairing his part of the Lane leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce him in the sume of five shillings if not sufficiently Repaired before the twenty fourth day of June next.

We Present Robert Ramel for not Repairing his part of the Lane leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce him in the sume of five shillings if not sufficiently Repaired before the twenty fourth day of June next.

We present James Holt for not Repairing his Part of the Lane leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce him in the sume of five shillings if not sufficiently Repaired before the twenty fourth day of June next.

We present James Woods for not Repairing his Part of the Lane leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce him in the sume of five shillings if not sufficiently Repaired before the twenty fourth day of June next.

We Present Thomas Rawsthorn for not repairing his Part of the Lane leading to the Lords Mill and do amerce him in the sume of five shillings if not sufficiently Repaired before the Twenty fourth day of June next.

Afferors { John Battersby, John Orrell } Sworn

MANNOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WITT

1738 The Court of View of ffree Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esquire Lord of the said Mannor held for the Mannor aforesaid at Turton aforesaid on Wednesday the twelfth day of October in the eleventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the second by the Grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth Before Henry Morris Deputy to Henry Moreton Gentleman Steward of the said Mannor.

An Inquisition Taken the day and year above written to Inquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the said Mannor upon the oath of

John Horrocks sworn

William Loe
William Lomax
John Haworth Junior } sworn

Edmund Whewell
Robert Whewell
John Crook } sworn

James Knowls sworn

Christopher Rawsthorn
James Kay
James Wood } sworn

Richard Hamer
Samuel Hamer
John Warburton } sworn

William Entwisle sworn

Adjourned a ffortnight.

We present the severall Persons hereunder named for not appearing at this court and do amerce them in the severall sumes opposite to their respective names.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
John Wood - - - -	1	0	Occupants of Wm Mayohs	1	0
Nathan Kay - - - -	1	0	William Bury senior - -	1	0
Ralph Haworth Senr - -	1	0	John Rawsthorn - -	1	0
Ralph Haworth Jur - -	1	0	John Walmisley - - -	1	0

	s.	d.
Jon Thomasson - - -	1	0
William Holt - - - -	1	0

We Present John Wood for not Repairing Tower Rake and amerce him in the sum̃e of ten shillings if not Repaired betwixt the end of the Court.

We Present James Holt for not Repairing the Mill way and amerce him in the sum̃e of five shillings if not Repaired Betwixt and the End of the Court.

Afferors { John Horrocks, William Loe } Sworn

sworn { Richard Hamer, James Wood } Constables for Turton 1737

William Lomax Yard guardian sworn

We present William Bury William Marsh James Thomasson and John Rawsthorn for suffering the watercourse ruñing within their respective tenements to run out of its ancient Course and to run into the Millway and Christopher Rawsthorns Lane all within this Mannor.

We order the said William Bury William Marsh James Thomasson and John Rawsthorn severally and respectively to turn the said water-course out of the said Millway and Lane and to turn it into its ancient Course on or before the thirtieth day of October Instant and in Default thereof we amerce them in two Shillings and Six Pence apiece.

Afferors { John Horrockes, William Loe } Sworn

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF LANC^R
TO WITT

1737 An extract of all and Singular the Amercements forfeited and Presented at the Court of View of ffrank Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esquire for his Mannor of Turton held there the fourth day of May in the tenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second over Great Britain and so forth.

It is Comanded the Bayliffes of the Court aforesaid and James Clark William Hurst William Hulme and John Norris by the Steward of the same Court that they Distrain or Levy to the use of the Lord of the Mannor aforesaid of the Goods and Chattles of the severall persons whose names are Subscribed the severall sumes of money opposite to their Respective Names as follows—To witt

	£	s	d.
Of Mary Herbert Cross for not appearing at the said Court - - - - - -	0	1	0
Of John Marsh for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Thomas Fogg for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Nathan Kay for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Thomas Kay for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Josiah Holt for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Ralph Haworth the younger for the like -	0	1	0
Of James Michell for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of the occupants of William Mayoh for the like	0	1	0
Of John Walmisley for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of John Thomason for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of John Haworth for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of William Holt for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Thomas ffielding for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of Lawrence ffielding for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of William Bury for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Roger Haslome for not sufficiently repairing his part of the Lane leading to the Lords Mill	0	5	0
Of John Marsh for the like - - - -	0	5	0
Of James Isherwood for the like - - -	0	5	0
Of Henry Haworth for the like - - -	0	5	0
Of Robert Ramell for the like - - - -	0	5	0
Of James Holt for the like - - - -	0	5	0
Of James Woods for the like - - - -	0	5	0
Of Thomas Rawsthorn for the like - - -	0	5	0

By Henry Moreton Gentleman
Steward of the said Court.

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF
LANCASTER TO WITT

1738 An Extract of all and Singular the Amercements forfeited and Presented at the Court of View of ffrank Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esquire for his Mannor of Turton held there the twelfth day of October in the eleventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second over Great Britain and so forth.

It is Commanded the Bayliffes of the Court aforesaid and James Clark William Hulme William Hurst and John Norris by the Steward of the Same Court that they Distrain or Levy to the use of the Lord of the Mannor aforesaid of the goods and chattles of the severall persons whose Names are subscribed the severall sumes of money opposite to their respective names as follows—To witt

		s.	d.
Of John Wood for not appearing at the said Court	0	1	0
Of Nathan Kay for the like - - - -	0	1	0
Of Ralph Haworth the Elder for the like - -	0	1	0
Of Ralph Haworth the Younger for the like -	0	1	0
Of the occupants of William Mayoh for the like	0	1	0
Of William Berry the Elder for the like - -	0	1	0
Of John Rawsthorn for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of John Walmisley for the like - -	0	1	0
Of John Thomason for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of William Holt for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of William Marsh for Suffering the watercourse within his Tenement to run out of its antient Course into the Millway - - - -	0	2	6
Of William Bury for the like - - - -	0	2	6
Of James Thomason for the like - - -	0	2	6
Of John Rawsthorn for the like - - -	0	2	6

By Henry Moreton Gentleman
Steward of the said Court.

MANNOR OF TURTON IN THE
COUNTY OF LANCASTER. TO WITT

1738 The Court of View of ffree Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esquire Lord of the said Mannor held for the Mannor aforesaid at Turton aforesaid on Wednesday the twenty sixth day of Aprill In the eleventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth Before Henry Moreton Gentleman Steward of the said Court.

An Inquisition Taken the day and year above written to Inquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the said Mannor upon the oath of

James Thomasson Sworn

John Battersby
Richard Orrell
John Orrell } Sworn

James Wood
James Knowles
Thomas ffogg } Sworn

Thomas Rawsthorn
Josiah Holt
John Warburton } Sworn

William Bury
John Kershaw
Richard Gregson } Sworn

We present the severall persons hereunder named for not appearing at this Court and Do amerce them in the sume of Six pence each

William Low, John Ashworth, Mary Herbert Cross Sp., John Haworth, Richard Lomax, John Marsh, Willm Entwisle, Nathan Kay, Ralph Haworth the Elder, Ralph Haworth the Younger, John Walmisley, John Thomasson, John Haworth, Roger Sharrock, William Berry the Younger, Thomas ffielden, Edmund Whewell, Lawrence ffielden.

Afferors { James Thomasson, John Battersby } Sworn
by Distringas

James Green against William Shaw Caser 39s. 11d. 29th September 1738. Unless the Def^t appear in ffourteen Days then a Mare of the Defend^ts Distrained shall be exposed to Sale.

16th October 1738 Granted A Vendition: Expon:

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF
LANCASTER TO WITT

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It is comanded the Bayliffes of the Court afores^d and James Clark and John Norris by the Steward of the same Court that they Distrain or Levy to the use of the Lord of the Mannor afores^d of the Goods and Chattles of the Severall Persons whose names are subscribed the severall sumes of Money opposite to their respective names as ffollows. To witt

	£	s.	d.
Of William Loe for not appearing at the s^d Court	0	0	6
Of John Ashworth for the like	0	0	6
Of Mary Herbert Cross Spinster for the like	0	0	6
Of John Haworth for the like	0	0	6
Of Richard Lomax for the like	0	0	6
Of John Marsh for the like	0	0	6
Of William Entwisle for the like	0	0	6
Of Nathan Kay for the like	0	0	6
Of Ralph Haworth the elder for the like	0	0	6
Of Ralph Haworth the Younger for the like	0	0	6
Of John Walmsley for the like	0	0	6
Of John Thomasson for the like	0	0	6
Of John Haworth for the like	0	0	6
Of Roger Sharrock for the like	0	0	0
Of William Berry the younger for the like	0	0	6
Of Thomas ffielden for the like	0	0	6
Of Edmund Whewell for the like	0	0	6
Of Lawrence ffielden for the like	0	0	6

By Henry Moreton Gentleman
Steward of the said Court.

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WITT

1739 The Court of View of ffree Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esqr Lord of the said Man^r held for the Mannor aforesaid at Turton aforesaid on Wednesday the eleventh day of October in the twelfth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth Before Henry Moreton Gentleman Steward of the said Court.

An Inquisition Taken the day and year above written to Inquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the said Mannor upon the oath of

James Holt Sworn
William Lowe
John Haworth
John Wood the elder } Sworn
Edmund Whewell
John Rawsthorn
Roger Sharrock } Sworn
John Wood the younger
Christopher Mayoh
Ralph Marsden } Sworn
William Mayoh
Ralph Haworth
James Knowles } Sworn
Robert Whewell
Peter Mayoh } Sworn

adjourned to the 25th

We present the Severall persons hereunder named for not appearing at this Court and do amerce them in the severall sum̃es opposite to their respective names.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Ralph Haworth Junr -	0	1	0	Richard Dewhurst -	0	1	0
John Walmisley - -	0	1	0	Andrew Haslam - -	0	1	0
John Thomasson - -	0	1	0	Thomas ffielden - -	0	1	0

We present James Holt at Shore for not repairing his part of the Road leading to the Lord's Mill and do amerce him in the sum̃e three shillings if not Repaired betwixt and the ending of this Court.

We present George Holt for not repairing his part of the Road leading to the Lord's Mill and do amerce him in the sum̃e of three shillings if not repaired betwixt and the ending of this Court.

Sworn { James Holt, James Wood } Constables for Turton 1738

Afferors { James Holt, William Loe } Sworn

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF
LANCASTER. TO WITT

1739 An Extract of all and Singular the amercements forfeited and presented at the Court of View of ffree Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esqr for his Mannor of Turton held there the eleventh day of October in the twelfth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the second by the Grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth.

It is Com̃anded the Bayliffes of the Court aforesaid and James Clarck and John Norris by the Steward of the same Court that they Distrain or levy to the use of the Lord of the said Mannor of the Goods and Chattles of the Severall persons whose names are Subscribed the severall sum̃es of money opposite to their respective names as follows—To witt

	£	s.	d.
Of Ralph Haworth the younger for not appearing at this Court - - - - - -	0	1	0
Of John Walmisley for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of John Thomasson for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of Richard Dewhurst for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of Andrew Haslam for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of Thomas ffielden for the like - - -	0	1	0
Of James Holt at Shore for not repairing his part of the Road leading to the Lord's Mill -	0	3	0
Of George Holt for the like - - - -	0	3	0

By Henry Moreton Gentleman
Steward of the said Court.

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WIT

1739 The Court of View of free pledge within the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esquire Lord of the said of the said [*sic*] Mannor held for the Mannor aforesaid at Turton aforesaid on Wednesday the ninth Day of May in the Twelfth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain ffrance and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth and in the year One Thousand Seven hundred and Thirty Nine Before Henry Moreton Gentleman Steward of the said Court.

An Inquisition Taken the Day and Year above written to Inquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the said Mannor upon the Oath of

1 Richard Orrell Sworn

1 Nathan Kay
1 Christopher Mayoh } Sworn
1 John Marsh
1 James Smith
1 John Crook
1 Thomas Rawsthorne } Sworn
1 William Entwisle

Edmund Whewell

1 Samuel Hamer
John Wood } Sworn

1 James Wood
Andrew Haslam
1 Thomas ffielden } Sworn

1 Thomas Kay
1 Nicholas Kershaw Senr } Sworn

We present the Severall persons here under Named for not appearing at this Court and do amerce them in the severall sums of One shilling each.

Mary Herbert Cross Spinster, Ralph Haworth Senr, Ralph Haworth Junr, John Rawstron, John Walmsley, John Thomason, William Holt, Robert Whewell, William Berry Junr.

We present Robert Mason for not repairing the Turfe Way betwixt Green-walls Yate and Williams Holt Yate and amerce him in the sum of ffive shillings if not repaired betwixt and the Ending of this Court.

We present John Haworth for not repairing his Turf Way and amerce him in the aforesaid Sum of ffive shillings if not repaired betwixt and the Ending of this Court.

We present George Holt for not repairing his Turf Way in the Sum of ffive shillings if not repaired betwixt and the ending of this Court.

We present James Warburton for not repairing his Way Between Low Kiln and Goose coat hill and amerce him in the Sum of Ten Shillings if not repaired in three weeks time after the ending of this Court.

We present Samuel Hamer William Lowe John Horrocks John Crook Mary Herbert Cross Richard Dewhurst and John Howorth for suffering the Ring fence being a Stone Wall Erected betwixt the Closes called the Stanerows and the Kings Highway in this Manor to fall into Decay and want Repair Altho' the Severall Owners and Occupiers of the severall Estates they now severally hold Antiently did uphold and repair the said Wall And we do amerce the Said Samuel Hamer William Lowe John Horrocks John Crook Mary Herbert Cross Richard Dewhurst and John Haworth in the sum of Thirty five Shillings if not Sufficiently Repaired betwixt and the Twenty fourth Day of June next.

Afferors { Richard Orrell, Nathan Kay } Sworn

MANNOR OF TURTON
IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WIT

1740 The Court of View of ffree Pledge with the Court Baron of Samuel Chetham Esquire Lord of the said Mannor held for the Mannor aforesaid at Turton aforesaid on Wednesday the Tenth Day of October in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of King George the second and in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Thirty Nine Before Henry Moreton Gentleman Steward of the said Court.

An Inquisition Taken the Day and Year above Written to Inquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the said Mannor upon the Oath of

John Battersby Sworn
William Holt, John Rawsthorne, William Bury Senr } Sworn
William Loe Sworn

Roger Haslome, John Wood } Sworn
Lawrence ffielden, James Kay, Roger Sharrock } Sworn

Henry Hardman
James Knowles } Sworn
John Orrell Junr

Robert Whewell
James Green } Sworn

Adjourned 14 days.

We Present the Severall persons hereunder named for not appearing at this Court And do Amerce them in the ffollowing Sum of One Shilling Each.

	£	s.	d.
Mary Herbert Cross Spinst^r - - - -	0	1	0
John Walmsley - - - - - -	0	1	0
John Thomason - - - - - -	0	1	0
Andrew Haslam - - - - - -	0	1	0
Thomas ffielden - - - - - -	0	1	0
William Bury Junr - - - - -	0	1	0
James Johnson - - - - - -	0	1	0

We present John Marsh and Thomas Rawstron not having repaired the Way and Cut the Hedge of their part of the Way leading to the Lords Mill Amercing them in the sum of ffive shillings each; Likewise we present Edmund Woods having not Cut his part of the Hedge adjoining to the aforesaid Lane Amercing him in the sum of ffive shillings.

Also we present James Woods not cutting and repairing his part of the Way leading to the Lords Mill Amercing him in the sum of ffive shillings.

Also we present Thomas Rawstron for not repairing his part of the Way leading to the Lords Mill Amercing him in the sum of ffive shillings.

Also we present Richard Haymer for not repairing his part of the Way leading to the Lords Mill beginning at Mill Clough and ending at New Mill Bridge Amercing him in the sum of ffive shillings. All the aforesaid persons having the Allowance of One Months time for their repairing of their abovesaid parts.

Also we present Lawrance ffielden not keeping open the Watercourse running out the Bottom of ffielden Brows being about Twenty Roods long Amercing him in the sum of six shillings and Eight pence having the Allowance of One Months time for repairing thereof.

Also we present William Holt not filling up a pitt he Digged in the side of the Way leading to the Lords Mill Amercing him In the sum of Three Shillings if not repaired in One Months Time.

Constables { James Knowles for Ozle Nest & John Wood for the Top of Turton } Sworn

James Holt Mise layer for the higher End of Turton

We present John Orrell Senr for not keeping his part of the watercourse open which runs alongside of the Way leading to the Lords Mill Amercing him in the sum of ffive shillings if not repaired and Opened in a Months time.

We present Richard Gregson for not keeping the Water in its Usuall Course which is the North Side of Chatteres Moss but now runs down the West Side And amerce him in the sum of Three shillings if not turn'd into its Usuall Course in a Months time.

To the Jury

		s.	d.
James Livesay against John Holt - -	Case	39	11
Default they find for the Pl^ts			
Damages -	00	18	00
Costs - -	00	00	02
		s.	D.
Peter Walker against James Warburton -	Case	39	11

[Names of Lords and Ladies of Manor]

of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his Wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his Wife, Edward Seymour Esqr and Charlotte Alice his Wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his Wife, and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster Lords and Ladies now held &c.

[Forms of Proclamations and Oaths]

The Morning.

O Yes, O Yes, O Yes.

1st. All manner of persons who owe Suit and service to the Court Leet with the View of Frank-Pledge and Court Baron of James Greene Esqr now held in and for the Manor of Turton before Charles Barrett Gentleman Steward of the said Court answer to your Names upon the first and second Call and save your Amercements.

O Yes, O Yes, O Yes.

2nd. All manner of Persons who owe Suit and Service to the Court Leet with the View of Frank-Pledge and Court Baron of James Greene Esqr now held in and for the Manor of Turton before Charles Barrett Gentleman Steward of the said Court and have not appeared answer to your Names upon the second and third Call and save your Amercements.

O Yes, O Yes, O Yes.

All Manner of Persons who owe suit and service to the Court Leet with the View of Frank-Pledge and Court Baron of James Greene Esqr now held in and for the Manor of Turton and have Nothing further to do may depart hence and give their Attendance again this Afternoon at half past four O'Clock to which Time and Place this Court is adjourned.

O Yes, O Yes, O Yes.

1st. All Manner of persons that were adjourned to appear at this Time and Place draw near give Attendance and answer to your Names.

O Yes, O Yes, O Yes.

2nd. All Manner of persons who were adjourned to appear at this Time and place and have Nothing further to do may depart hence and give their Attendance again upon fresh Summons.

First Summons of the Tenants by the Bailiff.

Call Constable or Tything Man, and then Sworn. You shall enquire and true presentment make of the several Offences committed in your Office since the last Court, as have come to your knowledge. So help you God.

Foreman of the Jury's Oath.

You as foreman of this Jury shall enquire and true presentment make of all such things as shall be given you in charge. The kings Counsel, your own, and your fellows you shall well and truly keep. You shall present nothing out of hatred or malice, nor shall conceal anything out of love fear or affection, but in all things shall well and truly present as the same shall come to your knowledge. So help you God.

The like Oath that your Foreman and your fellows hath taken on his part you and each of you shall well and truly observe and keep on your parts. So help you God.

Constables Oath.

You shall well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lords and Ladies of this Leet Manor in the Office of Constable in and for the Manor of Turton until you be thereof discharged according to due course of Law. You shall well and truly do and execute all things belonging to your Office according to the best of your knowledge. So help you God.

Hayward's Oath.

You shall well and truly serve in the Office of Hayward for the year ensuing. You shall duly execute all such Process as shall be directed to you from this Court. You shall from time to time signify and present all such pound breeches as shall happen to be made during your continuance in your Office and in everything well and truly behave yourself in the said Office. So help You God.

Affearers Oath.

You shall well and truly affear and affirm the several Amercements here made and now to you remembered. You shall spare no one out of love fear or affection, nor raise or inhance any one out of malice or hatred but impartially shall do your duties herein. So help You God.

[Here end Forms of Proclamation and Oaths]

MANOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WITT

On Notice from the Baylife nineteenth of King George the Seconds Reign.

		s.	d.
George Walmsley against John Kershaw	Case - -	39	11

1th of July 1745 John Kershaw the Defdt Appears by Mr Tho: Shipphard his Attorney and Demands Declaration at Large } d. 2

30th of October 1745 Declaration then filed by the plaintf George Walmisley by George Parker his Attorney - - } d. 2

14 Days Ruled for Defendt to put in & file a plea.

by an Agreemt of the plaintf & defdt in this Cause its Ruled and agreed that Mr John Orrell Mr Samuel Hamer and Mr John Ashworth all of this Manor shall hear the Evidences to be given in this Cause in order that they or any two of them shall have power to Determin the same within Seven Days next ensuing and such Determination to conclude the said plaintf & Def: in this Cause.

Witness our hand. George X Walmsley. John Kershaw.

Agreed by the above Referees ruled to hear and Determin this Cause that the Same shall be tryed at the ending of this Court.

19° of Georgij Regis Defendt filed his plea 4° of November to be tried at the Adjournmnt of this Court the same cause being now at Issue to be tryed by the Rules of this Court.

MANOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WIT

1745 The Court View of Frank pledge within the Court Baron of the Worshipful Humphrey Chetham Esquire Lord of the said manor Held for the Manor aforesaid at Turton aforesaid One Wednesday the fifth day of June and adjourned until the Nineteenth of the same Month in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Years of the Reign of our Sovereign.

Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth and in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and Forty five before James Brandwood Gentleman steward of the Said Court.

An Inquisition taken the day and Year above written to enquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the said Manor upon the Oaths of

Mr John Horrocks Swoarn

Mr Abel Fliteroft
Mr William Lomax
Mr John Haworth
Mr John Ashworth } Swoarn

Mr Richard Dewhurst
Mr Thomas Fogg
Mr John Orrell ye young } Swoarn

Mr Richard Orrell served last jury
Mr Jonathan Haslom
Mr Nathan Kay
Mr James Knowles } Swoarn

Mr James Wood
Mr William Entwisle
Mr Nicholas Kershaw } Swoarn

We the above Jurors Do hereby Order the said Steward to Enter the Several presentments by us found putting the same in form and not altering anything in Fact witness our Hands

John Horrockes
Abel Fliteroft
William Lomax
John Haworth
John Ashworth
Richd Dewhurst
Thos ffogg
John Orrell

Richard Orrell
Jonathan Haslom
Nathan Kay
James Knowles
William Entwisle
James Wood
Nicholas Kershaw

We the above Jurors do nominate and appoint four Mise Assessors for this Mañor (To wit)

Mr John Horrocks
Mr John Orrell } for the Lower End of Turton

Mr John Nuttall
Mr Richard Orrell } for the Higher End of Turton

All Swoarn

We amerce John Thomasson in the Sum of Ten Shillings If he doth not turn the Spring ariseing near John Warburtons new Marlpit into its ancient Course in Buffs [?] Brown Hill at & before the end of Fourteen days and the same spring to have a Course down to John Haworths to be for his use as the same is set out and for the use of several other Tenants within the said Manor or enter a Travers to this presentment within the time afores^{d}.

John Haworth on the 7° Day of May 1746 in open Cout [*sic*] did then Certifie that the Water is now Turned & now runs for the use of several Tenants pursuant to the above psentm^{t}.

Witness my Hand John Haworth

MANOR OF TURTON (TO WIT)

We Amerce Roger Shorrock in the like sum̄ of Ten Shillings If he dos not Turn the Water Course ariseing on the Top of Charterrers Moss near Gregsons new Marle Pitt and turn and keep it in its ancient Course Leading towards the Top of Stones bank there within the like time of 14 days or Enter his Traverse to this presentment.

We amerce any person or persons who shall go and make a way up or down the West side of a Close called the two Flats belonging to Ramsden Tenem^{t} in this Mañor in the sum̄ of One Shilling on each and every Defaulter to be Levyed on such who shall make default by the Baylife swoarn for the s^{d} Mañ^{r}.

We the said Jurors do find and present that all persons who have not Messuages Lands or Tenem^{ts} within this Mano^{r} shall not be Admitted or have power to bring any Accõns upon the Case or for Debt or Complain and present any thing presentable in this Court unless he she or they first bring a substantial houshold^{r} within the said Manor to first give pledge to pay Costs In case of Nonsuit Discontinuance or a Verdict go Against him her or them who shall bring any accõn or accõns not having any Estate within the Manor afores^{d}.

We the said Jurors on the 19th day of June 1745 Did then go and view and also found the Meir Stons set on the bounderies between Turton Moore within this Mañor and the Vills or Townships of Longworth and Over Darwen where we Beguñ our sd view on the West leading from a Close Nook of a certain Close belonging to Rishton Tenemt in this Mañor and so Leading up the Cõmon to the Great Hanging Stone there and North East to Longworth pasture Wall in which on our sd View we found Five Meir Stons Each with a Cross cut on and the Same is also Cut on the sd Great Hanging Stone and all placed in a pratty Streight Line between the sd Close Nook first mentioned and Longworth pasture wall and this is the boundery between Turton and Longworth aforesd and from the sd Wall Leading Eastward and falling Down an Open Flash or brown Sort of Sniddle called the Red Mires and so following the Brook there Down to the Inclosed Grounds belonging to the Green Low and Burys Tenemt which is the Bounderies between Turton Moore and Over Darwen Moore there according as we then and there not only found the said Meir Stons but also had the account of several persons then & there present belonging to Longworth and Over Darwen aforesd.

MANOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTR } TO WIT

On Notice from the Bailife 30th of October 1745 19 of King George the Seconds Reign.

		s.	d.
Henry Haworth plaintf against Mr Abel Flitcroft	Case - -	19	11

Rule to File Declaration in 14 days next following.

Ruled and agreed between plaint and Defd to try this Cause on the 20th of November next without any further Formality of proceeding witnes our Hands

Henry Howorth
Abel Flitcroft

19° of Georgij agreed between plant[f] & Defend[t] the 10 of November 1745.

M[r] John Nuttall	Jur	William Haslam	Jurat
John Orrell		John Hardman	
John Wood		Samuel Hamer	
W[m] Lomax		James Holt	
W[m] Mayoh		Jonathan Haslam	
John Ashworth		W[m] Low	

	s.	d.	
Verdict for the plaint[f] - -	5	1	damages.

MANOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCAST[R] } TO WIT

On Notice by the Bailife the 16th of November 1745 19° of King George the Seconds Reign.

		s.	d.
Oliver Ormerod and John Orrell Executors of James Warburton Deceased plaintifs against John Fielden Defendant	Case -	19	11

MANOR OF TURTON IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER } TO WIT

The Court View of Frank pledge within the court Baron of the worshipfull Humphrey Chetham Esquire Lord of the said Mañor Held at Turton aforesaid On Wednesday the Thirtith day of October and adjourned until Wednesday The Twentieth day of November next in the Nineteenth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c. and in the Year of our Lord 1745: Before James Brandwood Gent[m] Steward of the s[d] Court.

An Inquisacčon taken the day and Year above written To enquire for our Sovereign Lord the King and the Lord of the s[d] Mañor upon the oaths of

Mr William Low Swoarn

Mr James Knowles
Mr Robert Ramwell
Mr Richard Pilkington
Mr Christopher Rawsthron } Swoarn

Mr William Marsh
Mr John Mayson } Swoarn

Mr John Haworth oth heigh side
Mr Christopher Mayoh
Mr Peter Mayoh
Mr Ralph Haworth } Swoarn

Mr John Rawsthron
Mr Thomas Kay } Swoarn

We the above Jurrors do hereby order the said Steward To enter the said several presentmts by us found putting the same in Form not altering any thing in Fact.

William Lomax
James Lomax for Tarkingtons } Constables for ye Year ensuing

John Hardman
Wm Mayoh } Swoarn Gamkeepers for this Mañor

[NOTE.—*Up to this point the original Book of Records has been transcribed litteratim et verbatim; henceforward all formal words have been omitted, but all Lists of Jurors and Officers and all names both of persons and places are given exactly as they appear in the original and a perfectly accurate abstract of all the presentments is given.*]

7 May 1746 COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esq. adjourned to 25 June before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

Mr Richard Orrell
Mr James Holt
Mr John Haworth
Mr William Mayoh
Mr Nathan Kay
Mr John Orrell
Mr John Wood
Mr William Haslom
Mr Robert Mayson
Mr Thomas Rawsthron
Mr James Kay
Mr Richard Dewhurst
Mr Henry Hardman
Mr John Marsh
Mr Ralph Marsden

John Thomasson amerced in 5/ for not doing suit and service.

Amercement remitted.

Elizabeth Haslom amerced in 1/ for not doing suit and service.

Presentment of John Kershaw of Green walls for way on the west side of a Close called the two Flatts belonging to Jonathan Haslom and amerced in 2/. Estreat to issue.

Presentment of Samuel Hamer, William Low, John Horrockes, John Crook, James Kay, Mr Abel Fliteroft, Richard Dewhurst and John Haworth for not repairing and keeping up a Stone Wall being a Ring Fence belonging to a close called the Stoneyroys part of the Demesne Lands belonging to the Lord of this Manor and if not repaired within fourteen Days to be amerced in 2/6. Certified by James Holt.

The foreman of the Jury empowered to give Jury's consent to Presentments.

15th Oct. 1746 COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esqr adjourned until 12th November before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

Mr John Horrocks	Mr Samuel Hamer
Mr John Ashworth	Mr Nicholas Kershaw
Mr Wm Low	Mr Wm Entwisle
Mr Edmund Wood	Mr Robert Ramel
Mr Thomas Fogg	Mr Wm Holt
Mr John Crook	Mr Roger Shorrock
Mr John Thomasson	Mr Richard Pilkington
Mr James Lomax	

Mr Wm Low for Frank and Stons } Constables
Mr Henry Hardman }

Presentment of Mr Abel Fliteroft for making a way out of a Close called the Henbutts and breaking a fence there and entering into a Lane belonging to Richard Dewhurst Leading to the Water Corn Milln within Longworth which said fence and Lane are within the jurisdiction

of this Manor. Amercement of above person in 10/- for such time shall go and use the same way; on sworn evidence of John Hamer and John Thomason the younger.

Presentment of Joseph Pilkington Living on a Tenement calld Yates Tenement for Harbouring Lambert Heaton and his Wife Elisabeth as Inmeats or disturbers contrary to ye Laws or Custom of this Manor and amercement of above person in 40/- if he do not remove Lambert Heaton and Elisabeth his Wife within the space of Ten days from 15th October 1746.

These persons removed & Certified on the oath of James Green.

Presentment of James Holt of Shore for harbouring and keeping James Holden not belonging to Turton as an Inmeat Contrary to the Custom of this Manor. Amercement of above person in 20/- if he do not remove the said James Holden before the end of this Court 12th November 1746.

6th May 1747 COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esqr adjourned to Wednesday 3rd June, Before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

Mr: John Orrel	Mr: Tho: Kay
Mr: James Smith	Mr: James Knowls
Mr: Rich: Hamer	Mr. James Green
Mr: Will: March	Mr. Rich: Dewhurst
Mr: John Wood	Mr: James Rainsford
Lawr: Fielding	Mr: Chris: Mayho
James Wood	Mr: Peter Mayho
Ralp: Marsden	

Presentment and Amercement in 1/- each of Nicholas Kershaw ye younger Josiah Holt for himself & Buffs William Holt for Kenyons for not doing suit and service.

Presentment of John March for harbouring William Mullinex as an Inmeat or disturber contrary to the Laws or Custom of this Manor. Amercement of above person in 20/- if he do not remove the said William Mullinex before the ending of this Court.

Certified the 3rd June 1747 that the above Wm Molyneux was removed.

Presentment of William Orrel living on a Tenement belonging to John Thomason for harbouring Joshua Whittle as an Inmeat or disturber. Amercement of above person in 20/- if Joshua Whittle be not removed before the ending of this Court.

Joshua Whittle not removed. Wm Orrell was called and did not appear.

James Knowls the younger Game keeper Sworn.

Presentment of Mr: Abel Fliteroft for suffering his Stoned-horse to run & stroul in the Highway leading through this Mañour between the Market-towns of Bolton & Blackburn to the great damage & danger of his Majesties Subjectes having occasion to travel that way but also to the damage of & danger of the Neighbours adjoining the said Highway within this Mañour. Amercement of above person in 30/- if he do not keep the said horse out of the said Highway for the future.

Afferors Mr: John Horrocks } Swoarn
Mr. John Orrell }

Oct: 26th 1748. We the said Afferors having both Deliberately Considered ye above Amercement of one Pound ten shillings have Mittegated the same sum to one penney being this day Certyfyed that ye said horse from finding the presentment was duely kept out of ye sd high way so that no damage was done. Witness our Hands

John Horrockes
John Orrell

October 1747. COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esquire (adjourned untill 5th November) before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

Mr Richard Orrell	Mr Henry Hardman
Mr William Lomax	Mr John Marsh
*Mr John Haworth	Mr Robert Mayson

* Adjournment did not appear oath being made by Cris: Rawsthron that he was out of order.

Mr Richard Gregson	Mr Nathan Kay
Mr William Haslom	Mr Christopher Rawsthron
Mr John Ashworth	Mr James Holt
Mr James Kay	Mr Edmund Wood
	Mr John Walmisley

Presentment and Amercement in 1/- each of John Rostorn, Roger Sharock, James Holt ye Elder for Shore Thomas Fielding for Out Lanes for not doing suit and service.

Mr John Horrocks for Ash-holes } Constables
John Crook for Dunskar }

Edmund Wood } Fence lookers
Nathan Kay }

Thomas Wood plaintf } Debt - - 1 18 6
Agt }
Roger Shorrock Defe }

4th May 1748. COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esquire (adjourned untill 1st June) before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

Mr. John Horrocks fore-Man	Mr. John Mason
Mr. Will Lowe	Mr. Rob: Ramwell
Mr. Samel Hamer	Mr. John Haworth for Isherwoods
Mr. Tho: Fogg	Mr. Rich: Pilkington
Mr. Rogr Sharrocks	Mr. Willi: Mayoh
Mr. James Knowls Grindle End	Mr. Edmd Whewell
Mr. Jonath Haslom	
Mr. John Kershaw	
Mr. James Lomax	

Presentment and Amercement in 1/- of Mr. Abel fflitcroft for not doing suit and service.

Nomination and Appointment as Plant lookers.

Willi Entwisle of Battridge for Higher End.
John Ashworth of Berten-Shaw Lower End.

October 1748. COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esquire (adjourned untill 26 October) before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

William Entwisle fore-Man.

John Crook	Rich: Dewhurst
Jam: Holt 3 Lows	Jam: Rainsford
Georg Holt	Jam: Kershaw
John Warbutton	Rich: Rosthorn Horr: Mill
Jam: Knowls Top Tur:	John Wamsley
Jam: Green	John Haworth Hei: Side
Jam: Smith	
John Orrell	

Presentment and Amercement in 1/- of Mr: Abel Flitcroft for not doing suit and service.

Richard Dewhurst } Constables
James Kay }

George Holt Gamekeeper for the Lower End

3rd May 1749. COURT of Humphrey Chetham Esquire (adjourned untill 21 June) before James Brandwood Gent: Steward.

Jurors

John Horrocks fore-Man

Richd Orrell	James Knowls
John Orrell	Lawr: Fielding
Willim Lomax	Willim Holt
Edm: Wood	Tho: Fogg
Tho: Kay	Nath: Kay
Willim Marsh	Willim Kershaw
John Wood	
Richd Hamer	

Presentment & Amercement in 1/- of John Mason for not doing suit & service.

Presentment & Amercement in 1/- of Willim Berry for not doing suit and service.

18th October 1749. COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gent: Steward.

Jurors

William Low	Crõfer Rawstorn
John Ashworth	James Kay
William Haslam	Richard Pilkington
John Marsh	James Lomax
John Mason	Jonãn Haslam
Ralph Marsden	James Knowles
James Wood	Roger Sharrocks
	Crõfer Mayoh

Ralph Marsden, Richd Pilkington } Constables

John Nuttall, Richard Orrel } Affeerors

Amercement of John Kershaw and James Kershaw in 35/- for getting Stone belonging to the Lord of the Manor in a close called the old marled ffield & thereby endangering the Boundary ffence (dividing this Manor and Township of Over Darwen) falling.

The affeerors mitigate the above amercement to 5/-

John Mason & Wm Berry amerced in 12^d for non-appearance at Court.

Mitigated by the affeerors to 1^d each & paid.

9th May 1750. COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gent: Steward.

Jurors

Richd Orrell fore-Man

John Topping	Edm^d Wood
Sam^el Hamer	Robert Wood
Jam^s Fogg	Jam^s Kershaw
Jam^s Smith	Richd Gregson

Joh: Thomason	John Warbutton
Ralp: Holt	James Green
John Haworth	Robert Mason

Robt Mason Game-Keeper
Robt Mason sworn
Thos Clarkson } Affeerors
John Horrox }

18th October 1751. COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gent: Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell fore-Man

Richd Dewhurst	Thos Kay
Wm: Entwisle	Nathan Kay
Robert Ramwell	Wm: Kershaw
John Knowls	Thos Fogg
John Crook	Wm: Rosthorn
James Holt 3 lows	John Walmsley
Wm: Lomax	Wm: Holt

Presentment & Amercement in 1/- of Roger Bromeley for not doing suit & service.

Amercement in 35/- of John Mason Junr for fleeing a Cow hide on or about ye 28th day of 7ber: last wch Cow died of ye Common distemper now raging amongst ye horn'd Cattle & afterwards spreading ye hide in ye Open Air near to ye place Where such Cow was buri'd & in about 12 days time then Next ye said John Mason fleed one other Cow one Stirk & a heifer which also died of ye said distemper y^{n} well known to ye same John notwithstanding ye same John kept all ye said hides in his Custody untill ye 16 of this Instant October by reason whereof an unwholsome Smell was perceiv'd & felt from ye place where such hides were laid to ye common Nusance of all persons travelling that way.

Jam^{s} Fogg } Constables
John Warbutton }

Inspectors for viewing distempr'd Cattle { Willm Low for ye Lower end
Nathan Kay for ye Higher End

1st May 1751. COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

John Horrocks	Richd Pilkington
John Wood	Ralp: Marsden
John Ashworth	Willm: Marsh
Willm Haslam	Josiah Holt
Christ Rosthorn	Peter Mayoh
John Rosthorn	Christ Mayoh
James Lomax	

Presentment & Amercement in 6d of Roger Bromely for Non-appearance at Court, though summoned.

Thomas Clarkson } Affeerors
George Holt }

James Holt of three-Lows appointed Moss Looker.

Amercement of John Mason the Younger in 35/- at the last Court mitigated to 2/6 . . . paid.

9th October 1751. COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

Edmund Wood fore-Man

Thomas Clarkson	Ralph Orrell
John Toppin	Robert Mason
John Marsh	James Green
George Holt	Peter Crook
John Hawarth	John Mason
James Kay	Thos Marsh
Thos. Kay	Richd Isherwood

John Hawarth Lower End } Constables
John Warbutton Higher End } not appd

Edmund Wood Gamekeeper for ye Lower End

3rd April 1752. COURT of Edwd Chetham Esqr before John Hamer Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	James Smith
James Knowls	James Rainford
John Knowls	Samel Hamer
John Wood	Thos Fogg
Edmd Wood	John Warbutton
John Ashworth	Nathan Kay
Willm Haslom	Willm Entwisle

Presentment of Thos Marsh of Cousin fold within this Mañor for Harbouring and Entertaining in his house a person as an In Mate and Stranger contrary to the Law which tends to the breach of the peace.

Amercement of above person in 20/- if he does not remove the same person in the space of 6 days.

Inmate removed within ye time limitted.

Presentment of Nathan Kay, Willm Holt Senr, Willm Holt Junr, Occupt of Parr's, Chris: Rosthorn, John Howarth, Jams Holt, Willm Lomax for not repairing and Mending their respective parts of the Way within this Mannor Leading from Charters-Moss to the Lords Mill. Amercement of above persons in 5/- each if not repair'd in the space of One Month.

Ye ways above repaired within ye time above.

Presentment of Willm Haslom, John Marsh, Thos Marsh, John Wood, Robt Ramwell, Ralph Holt, George Holt, Robt Wood, Richd Rosthorn, Thomas Clarkson, Henry Haworth for not repairing & Mending their respective parts of the Way Within the said Mannor Leading from Bromely-Cross to the Lords Mill & their Amercement in 5/- each if not Repaired in the space of One Month.

Ye Ways above repaired in ye time allowed.

11th October 1752.

COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gent: Steward.

Jurors

John Topping fore-Man

John Thomasson	Robt Ramwell
George Holt	Jams Lomax
Ralph Orrell	Richd Rosthorn
Richd Dewhurst	Richd Pilkington
Robt Wood	Ralph Marsden
Ralph Holt	Peter Mayoh
	John Haworth

John Mason Lower End
Robt Clarkson higher End } Constables

Presentment of James Knowls Overseer of the Highways within this Mañor for his Neglect in not repairing the High road leading between Rigbey Turning & the Little Oak within the said Mañor & his Amercement in 15/- to be paid in two Months hence if in that time the said Highway be not sufficiently repaired.

Ye Road presented was afterwards repaired.

18th May 1753.

COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gent: Steward.

Jurors

John Wood	Willm Rosthorn
sick John Marsh	Jam's Green
Thos Marsh	Willm Kershaw
Willm Marsh	Willm Holt at Kenions
Thos Kay	Thos Haslom
Jam's Holt	Willm Holt of Shore
Christ Rosthorn	Robt Ramwell

Presentment of Willm Haslom, John Marsh, Thos Marsh, John Wood, Robt Ramwell, Ralph Holt, George Holt, Robt Wood, Richd Rosthorn, Thos Clarkson for not repairing and Mending their respective

parts of the Way leading from Bromely Cross towards the Lords Mill. Their amercement in 5/- each if the said Ways are not sufficiently repaired before the 18th July.

Discharged. Ye way presented being repaired.

Presentment of Nathan Kay, Willm Holt Senr, Willm Holt Junr, Occupt of Parrs, Chisr Rosthorn, John Haworth, Jam's Holt, Widow Lomax, Jam's Haworth, Occupt for Brook's, for not repairing and Mending their respective parts of the Way Leading from Charter's-Moss to the Lords Mill. Amercement of above persons in 5/- each if the Way not repaired before the 18th July.

Discharged. Ye way being repaired.

Presentment of John Kershaw for suffering the Water to run in the high-Way leading to the Lords Mill which ought to be divert'd thereout to the damage of persons travelling through the same Way. Amercement in 5/- if the Water is not turn'd into its right course in ten days hence.

Discharged. Ye Water being diverted into his usual Course.

Presentment of Edmund Wood for suffering the Water coming out of his Lands to run into the lane called Cousin lane leading to the Lords Mill. Amercement in 5/- if the water not turned into its right course in ten days. Discharged, ye water being diverted in its right Channel.

Presentment of Ellen Sharrocks & Ralph Haworth for harbouring Thos Sharrocks Son of the Ellen as an Inmate. Amercement in 15/- each to be paid in 10 days if in that time such Inmate is not removed out of the Manor.

N.B. Thos Sharrocks was removed within time above & Ellen Sharrocks thereby discharged from her Amercement.

This Court adjourned to 18th July.

18th July 1753. COURT of Edward Chetham Esquire before John Hamer Gent: Steward.

Jurors

John Wood	Willm Rosthorn
John Marsh	Jam's Green
Thos Marsh	Willm Kershaw
Willm Marsh	Willm Holt at Kenion
Thos Kay	Thos Haslom
Jam's Holt	Willm Holt of Shore
Christr Rosthorn	Robert Ramwell

Thos Haslom and Thos Kay two of the Jury men not appearing at this Court held by adjournamt nor any Cause being shewn to this Court for such Neglect this Court therefore doth fine the said Thos Haslom and Thos Kay in 20/- each to be paid to or to the use of the Lord of this Manor in two months.

Adjourned to 10th October 1753.

We find that the Lord of this Mañor hath at the request of the said Thos Haslom and Thos Kay remitted their fines of twenty shillings apiece.

10th October 1753. COURT of Edward Chetham Esqr before John Hamer Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

	Will: Rosthorn
John Wood	
John Marsh	Jam's Green
Thos Marsh	Will: Kershaw
*Willm Marsh	Will: Holt at Kenions
*Thos Kay	Thos Haslom
Jam's Holt	Will: Holt of Shore
Christr Rosthorn	Robt Ramwell

* all appeared but these

John Orrell	John Ashworth

Will: Entwisle	John Knowls
Thos Fogg	Chris^{r} Mayoh
John Warbutton	John Walmsley
Nathan Kay	Jam's Rainford
Jam's Smith	Jam's Knowls
Robert Mason	Jam's Kay

John Mason in Lowerend } of Turton
Henry Haworth in Higherend } Constables

Willm Marsh and Thos Kay two Jurymen of the first Jury sworn at this Court held the 18th May last not appearing at this Court held by several Adjournam^{ts} nor shewing any cause for such their Default This Court doth therefore Fine them in twenty shillings apiece to be paid to the Lord on or before the 1st May next to which time this Court is further adjourned.

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1st May 1754. COURT of Edward Chetham Esqr before John Hamer Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

John Wood	Willm Rosthorn
John Marsh	Jam's Green
Thos Marsh	Willm Kershaw
Willm Marsh	Willm Holt at Kenions
Thos Kay	Thos Haslom
Jam's Holt	Willm Holt at Shore
Chris^{r} Rosthorn	Robert Ramwell

Presentment of Jam's Kershaw of Turton late Overseer of the Highways within this Mañor for refusing tho' often requested to render An Account of his Receipts and Disbursem^{ts} relaiting his Office to his succeeding Officer and the Inhabitants within this Mañor. Amercement in 30/- to be paid in 3 months if in that time he does not render

such Accounts and pay to his succeeding Overseer of the same Highways what shall appear to be in his hands.

Ralph Orrell } Appointed Mosslookers
Nathan Kay }

Edmund Wood } Fence lookers
William Mayoh }

Payment of fines of 20/- each of William Marsh & Thos Kay to the Lord of the Manor.

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James Kershaw ag^t John Low	Case - -	19	11
	Parties agreed		

16th October 1754. COURT of Edward Chetham Esqr before John Hamer gentleman Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	John Knowls
Thos Fogg	Chris^r Mayoh
John Warbutton	John Walmsley
Nathan Kay	Jam's Rainford
M^d Cr: Jams Haworth	Jam's Knowls
Robt Mason	Jam's Kay
John Ashworth	

Presentment of the persons hereunder named for not opening and Cleansing their respective parts of their Ditch bottoms belonging their several Tenements contigious to the publick high-ways within this Mañor to the dammage of the same Highways and Annoyance of all persons travailing there and therefore do Amerce each of them in 20/- apiece to be levy'd upon such of them as shall not in a Month hence open & Cleanse their several parts of their ditch bottoms.

Sam^el Marsden	John Welch
Ralp^h Orrell	Edm^d Horrocks

Henry Holt	John Haworth
Willm Marsh	Thos Fielding
Josia^{h} Holt	John Orrell

Presentment of Sam^{el} Pilkington Overseer of the Highway for Neglecting the Duty of his Office in not diverting the Water out of the Highway Over against John Kershaws Tenement.

Amercement of above person in 20/- if the same Water be not divert'd between and the 25th December.

John Mason
Henry Haworth } Continued as Constables.

7 May 1755. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. Held at Turton. Before John Hamer gentleman steward.

Jurors

Edm^{d} Wood sworn

John Toppin	Sworn	Ralph Marsden
Willm Entwisle		Jam's Lomax
Richd Dewhurst		George Holt
Ralph Orrell		Willm Mayoh
Robt Wood		Roger Sharrocks
Richd Orrell		Jam's Gregson
Ralph Holt		Peter Mayoh

Presentments

John Thomasson for not opening & cleansing a Ditch bottom lying between Old Chapel Brook and Old Spout contigious to the Publick Highway within this Manor. Amercement 20/ in default. [A *Note says* "Cleans'd within ye time limitted."]

Sworn { John Thomasson, Richard Rosthorn } Constables for a Year

8 October 1755. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. Before John Hamer. And by Adjournment 24 June 1756.

Jurors

Sam^el Hamer sworn

John Halliwell	Sworn	John Haworth
Will: Haslam		Jam's Kershaw
Hen: Haworth		John Kershaw
John Haworth		Josiah Holt
John Mason		Roger Bromely
Will: Pilkington		Giles Marsh

Presentment of

John Orrell Nathan Kay Roger Sharrock

for not repairing a road leading over that part of the Moss called Valentine Moss from Flag Field Yate to the Highway & for suffering the Water to run towards the Highway upon the Moss which Water-course ought to run falling down from the Higher Moss down the middle of the same Moss towards and through a Sough called Ralph Orrell sough. Amercement 20/ each in default.

John Thomasson for not opening and cleansing a Ditch bottom lying between Old Chapel brook and Old Spout contigious to the publick Highway to the dammage of the same Highway and all persons travelling therein. Amercement 20/.

William Marsh appointed Lords Gamekeeper.

28 April 1756. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. Before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

John Wood sworn

Jam's Smith	Sworn	Jam's Green
Peter Crook		Nathan Kay
John Warbutton		Thos Fogg
John Ashworth		John Kershaw
Robert Ramwell		William Rosthorn
John Knowls		Thos Haslom

Presentments

That the common way leading from Bromeley Cross to the Lords Mill is become ruinous & in bad decay & that such part of the way leading from Bromeley Cross to Cousin Lane ought to be repaired by William Haslom in respect of his tenure. Amercement 30/ if not repaired by 24 June next.

That Cousin Lane ought to be repaired by John Marsh and Thomas Marsh—the lower part by Thomas Marsh and the higher part by John Marsh in respect of their tenures. Amercements 30/ each.

That another part of John Wood Lane ought to be repaired by John Wood in respect of his tenure. Amercement 30/.

That another part of Robert Ramwell Lane ought to be repaired by Robert Ramwell. Amercement 30/.

That another part of Holt Lane ought to be repaired by Ralph Holt and George Holt in respect of their several farms. Amercement 30/.

That Wood End Lane ought to be repaired by Robert Wood. Amercement 30/.

That Horribin Lane ought to be repaired by the occupants of Horribin Mill. Amercement of Richard Rosthorn in 30/.

That Tower Lane ought to be repaired by John Halliwell. Amercement 30/.

That Millfield Lane & Haworth Rake ought to be repaired by Henry Haworth. Amercement 30/.

That Edmund Wood suffers water to run into Cousin Lane. Amercement 30/.

That the Common way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate to the Lords Mill is become ruinous for want of repair & is wont to be repaired by Nathan Kay. Amercement 30/-

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate and called Kenyon Height ought to be repaired by William Holt the elder. Amercement 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Holt's Height ought to be repaired by the occupants of Shore Tenement. Amercement of Will Holt the younger in 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Parr Height ought to be repaired by the occupants of Parr Tenement. Amercement of William Marsh & Ann Thomasson widow 30/ each.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Christopher Lane ought to be repaired by the occupants of Castleman's. Amercement of Christopher Rosthorn 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Haworth Lane ought to be repaired by John Haworth. Amercement 30/

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called the three Lows Lane ought to be repaired by James Holt. Amercement 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Nabb Lane ought to be repaired by Alice Lomax widow in respect of "Old Stewards." Amercement 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Fogg Lane ought to be repaired by Thomas Fogg. Amercement 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Overhouses Lane ought to be repaired by the owner or occupier of "Overhouses." Amercement of Jam's Mitchel 30/.

That part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Brooks Lane and Meadowcrofts Lane ought to be repaired by the occupants of "Brookses" & "Meadowcroft's." Amercement of Jam's Haworth in 30/.

Of Jam's Livesey of Wilkin Plat for keeping a disorderly Tipplinghouse & selling ale therein without Lycence. Amercement 30/.

Robert Wood Lower End }
Ralph Orrell } Sworn constables

24 June 1756. At Adjournment Jurors say they have viewed all last named roads & find the same well repaired.

27 October 1756. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. Before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

John Topping	sworn	Chris^{r} Rosthorn
Jam's Kay		Willm Kershaw
John Orrell		John Whewell
John Thomasson		Edm^{d} Whewell
Jam's Knowls Owsle Nest		Robert Mason
Jam's Haworth Shoemaker		Will: Holt Kenyons
Jam's Holt		Will: Holt Shore

[No Presentments].

4 May 1757. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

Will: Entwisle	sworn	Jam's Hardman
Richd Orrell		Chris^{r} Mayoh
John Marsh		Peter Mayoh
Thos Marsh		Jam's Gregson
Willm Marsh		Ralp: Marsden
George Holt		Rog: Sharrocks
Jam's Lomax		Will: Mayoh

Presentment

John Knowls of Knowls Tenement for suffering his fence between Knowls lane End & Catchey Bridge Contigious to the Highway to lye down. Amercement 20/.

Constables	George Holt	Lower End
	sworn	
	John Mason	Higher End

Richard Thomasson Overseer of the Game.

Presentment

Upon view of a plat or bridge lying upon the tenement in the possession of Samuel Pilkington & which divides the same from the

lands in possession of John Pollit which plat or Bridge lyes a common foot-way for all passengers travailing over the same that the plat lyes down for want of amendment. Amercement of Samuel Pilkington in 20/.

27 October 1757. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

Thos Fogg	sworn	Robt Wood
Edmd Wood		Will: Pilkington
Samel Hamer		Lawr Fielding
Willm Haslom		John Haworth Heightside
John Haworth Isherwoods		Natha: Kay
Ralp: Orrell		Roger Bromely
Ralp: Holt		Jam's Kershaw

Presentment

That Holt Lane beginning at Holt Yate & ending at Robert Ramwell Lane is in decay and that one half of the said lane from the Lower End and four roods of the half which George Holt ought to amend. Amercement 20/.

That the other half of the said Lane is in decay & Ralph Holt ought to amend the same except said four roods. Amercement 20/.

Of John Thomasson for diverting a spring of water through a Close called the Hey which ought to run in a close called the Brownhill belonging to Josiah Holt. Amercement 30/.

21 April 1758. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	Sworn	James Barlow
John Wood		John Kay Meadowhead
James Smith		Thomas Haslom
Richard Dewhurst		Robert Ramwell
John Warbutton		Peter Crook
John Knowls		John Whitehead
John Ashworth		

Presentment

of James Kershaw for wilfully absenting himself from Court tho' personally summoned by John Mason Constable to serve the office of a Constable. Fine 20/.

James Knowls William Holt Constables sworn.

Thomas Fogg
against
John Knowls
Received 4[d]

26 October 1758. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer steward.

Jurors

John Topping
William Entwisle
John Pollit
John Hamer
James Holt
Jam's Haworth Meadow:
Jam's Kay

sworn

William Kershaw
John Whewell
Ralph Marsden
John Mason
Robert Mason
Christopher Rosthorn

Presentment

That [the last named] James Kershaw could not attend by reason of sickness & prays the Steward to take off the Amercement.

of John Horrocks jun[r] a Resient [*sic*] within this Manor for not appearing & doing his sute & service. Amercement one shilling.

1 May 1759. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer steward.

Jurors

John Orrell
John Horrocks Jun[r]
John Marsh
Robert Wood
John Haworth at Heightside
John Warbutton
Richard Thomasson

Sworn

James Rainford
James Hardman
Christopher Mayoh
Roger Sharrocks
John Whewell
Edmund Whewell

Presentment

of John Topping a freeholder for removing six roods of the fence in a close called the lower field in possession of John Knowls and thereby hath encroached upon the Lord's Inheritance. Amercement 35/.

That Christopher Rosthorn suffers his fence lying between the close called Rosthorn Height solely occupied by him and another close called The Height joyntly occupyed by Alice Lomax widow & by him to lye down & become useless. Amercement 30/.

That the said Alice Lomax & Christopher Rosthorn suffer their fences lying between the Height occupyed by them & another close called the Height occupyed by John Walmsley & Thomas Fogg to lye down And that the said Alice & Christopher ought to repair in equal moiety *i.e.* the north east part of the fence to Robbin Fields by the said Christopher & the remainder of the fence to John Warbuttons by Alice Lomax. Amercement 30/ each.

Roger Bromeley
James Kershaw } Constables sworn

3 October 1759. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer Steward

Jurors

Thomas Fogg
Edmund Wood
Samuel Hamer
William Haslam
Ralph Orrell
Ralph Holt
George Holt
} sworn {
James Lomax
William Mayoh
Thomas Marsh
Richard Orrell
Lawrance Fielding
Peter Mayoh

Presentment

of John Whitehead for not repairing Horribin Mill Lane beginning at a Scotch lying at the higher end of the Lane & leading down thence to the bottom of the New Lane leading towards the Lord's Mill. Amercement 30/.

That John Marsh of Cousin Fold harbours and entertains one James Walker in his dwelling house as an Inmate & stranger. Amercement 30/.

That the offences for which John Topping Christopher Rosthorn and Alice Lomax widow were at the Last Court presented were removed.

3 April 1760. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell John Wood John Knowls William Entwisle John Ashworth James Barlow John Kay	sworn	Robert Ramwell John Whitehead Peter Crook William Pilkington John Pollit John Knowls

James Kershaw to be continued
Ralph Holt sworn } Constables

28 October 1760. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Hamer Steward.

Jurors

Robert Wood John Warbutton John Topping Richard Thomasson Robert Mason Ralph Marsden James Knowls	sworn	John Mason James Holt, 3 Lows Richard Dewhurst Roger Bromely John Welch William Holt

Presentment

of John Fielding of Out Lane for keeping a useless voracious dog to the terror & nusance of all the neighbours & other persons passing by the house of the said John Fielding. Amercement 10/- if he does not part with the dog or destroy it in 7 days.

of James Smith for not opening a Ditch bottom beginning at a Spout near the Timber-bottom Yate & leading from thence after the Causey toward or near the Scope hole-lane. Amercement 30/.

Likewise for suffering a ditch brested up with stone & other parts of the said ditch beginning at a plat near Fleming pit & leading towards the Timber Bottom which presses down & makes an incroachment upon the Causeway. Amercement 30/.

15 April 1761. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay gentleman Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	sworn	Ralph Orrell
John Wood		William Pilkington
John Knowls		John Whawell
William Entwisle		Edmund Whawell
James Lomax		William Kershaw
Thomas Fogg		Peter Mayoh
Nathan Kay		

Officers returned

Constables	John Wood, James Kay	sworn
Plant Lookers	Edmund Wood, Robert Mason	sworn
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle, John Orrell	,,
Moss Lookers	Ralph Orrell, Nathan Kay	,,
Affeerors	John Wood, James Holt 3 Lows	,,
Impounder —	James Kay (Smith)	,,

Presentments

James Haworth Joiner for letting his Dwelling-house & Shop fall to decay. Amercement 35/.

of Lawrance Fielding of Top o'th Brow for not sufficiently repairing his dwelling house & outbuildings. Amercement 35/.

of John Whitehead of Horribin Mill for not repairing his dwelling house & barn. Amercement 35/.

of John Fielding of Out Lane for not repairing his Cottage & Turf-house. Amercement 35/.

of George Holt for not opening a Ditch bottom lying on one side of a field called Bent and not making a free passage for the water to run off from Ralph Holt's Scotch. Amercement 5/.

of Edmund Wood for suffering the water to run down Cousen Lane. Amercement 5/.

of John Hamer for not repairing the lanes leading to the Lords Mill called the Millfield Lane and Haworth Rake and not keeping the flags in the footway on the sides in good repair and not carrying the stones out of the Carts Ruts. Amercement 30/.

14 October 1761. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Hamer sworn

Edmund Wood, Ralph Holt, George Holt — sworn

John Ashworth, William Haslom — sworn

James Hardman, Richard Thomasson, Nicholas Gregson, Christopher Mayoh — sworn

James Holt, Clark, James Haworth, Heighside — sworn

Presentment

that James Haworth Joiner had neglected to repair his Dwelling house & shop. Amercement 35/-

That John Whitehead of Horribin Mill had neglected to repair his dwelling house & Barn. Amercement 35/-

of William Marsh and Ann Thomasson for not repairing Parr Height Lane leading from Charterers Moss towards the Lords Mill. Amercement 5/-

of John Isherwood and James Haworth the elder for not repairing Upper Houses Lane & leading from thence toward the Chapel & the Lord's Mill. Amercement 5/.

of John Whitehead for not repairing Horribin Mill Lane & a Stile on the top of Horribin Meadow & for not keeping his fences in repair & for not falling or cutting down all the underwood therein. Amercement 10/.

of the several persons hereunder named for not keeping the water out of the Highway between Walmsly Chapel & the Smithy. Amercements

Ralph Marsden	5	0
James Kay	5	0
John Mason	5	0
Richard Dewhurst	5	0
William Pilkington	5	0
Thomas Kershaw	5	0

[*an obviously later note says*] They all having diverted the s^d water into its proper channel are discharged from their respective amerciaments.

that New Tenants to be admitted are

James Holt for Castle-Mans
Nicholas Gregson for Kenyons
James Kay for Buffs

John Wood & James Holt Affeerors do Affeer the amercement imposed on James Howorth for not repairing his dwellinghouse & shop at 35/.

and on John Whitehead for not repairing his dwelling-house and barn at 35/.

5 May 1762. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Fogg sworn		Giles Marsh	sworn
John Topping	sworn	Charles Nuttall	
John Wood		James Knowls	
William Entwisle		John Kay	
Robert Wood	sworn	Roger Bromiley	sworn
John Warbutton		Peter Crook	

Officers

Constables	James Kay Robert Ramwell	sworn
Wood Lookers	James Lomax Giles Marsh	,,
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle John Orrell	,,
Moss Lookers	Ralph Orrell Nathan Kay	,,
Affeerors	John Wood James Holt, three lows	,,
Impounder	James Kay Smith	

Presentments

that a Road leading out of a lane called Cousin Lane & from thence to Cousin Fold ought to be repaired by Richard Rosthorn. Amercement 5/.

that another part of the road leading out of John Wood's Lane & through John Wood Fold & thence to Robert Ramwell's Yate ought to be repaired by John Wood. Amercement 5/.

that another part of the way leading from Robert Ramwell's Yate & going through his fold & thence to a Yate between the said Robert Ramwell's & John Knowls house is out of repairs & ought to be repaired by Robert Ramwell. Amercement 10/.

That another part of the way leading from the last mentioned Yate & going through John Knowls fold to a Yate opening into John Orrell's fold is out of repair & ought to be repaired by John Knowls. Amercement 5/.

that another part of the Road leading from John Orrell's Yate & going through his fold & from thence to Gooscote hill is out of repair & that the said John Orrell ought to repair. Amercement 20/.

that another part of the way leading out of the road towards the Lords Mill begining at the top of the Wood end lane & thence through Ralph Holt & George Holts tenements to a Yate called Low Kill Yate is become ruinous & that Ralph Holt and George Holt ought to repair same. Amercement 10/-

that another part of the way begining at Tower Globes & leading through Tower Fold & thence to Stoney Rose Yate is become ruinous & that John Pollit ought to repair same. Amercement 30/-

That the way leading from Bromley Cross to the Lord's Mill is ruinous & that such part leading from Bromley Cross to Cousen Lane ought to be repaired by William Haslom. Amercement 30/.

that Cousen Lane is become ruinous & that the lower part ought to be repaired by Richard Rosthorn & the higher by John Marsh. Amercement 30/- a piece.

that another part of the way called John Wood's Lane is ruinous & ought to be repaired by John Wood. Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way called Robert Ramwell's Lane is ruinous & that Robert Ramwell ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That the way called Holt Lane is become ruinous & ought to be repaired by Ralph Holt and George Holt. Amercement 30/- a piece.

That another part of the way called Wood End Lane is become ruinous & that Robert Wood ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of Horrabin Mill Lane is ruinous & that John Whitehead ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of Tower Lane is ruinous & that John Pollit ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of Millfield Lane & Haworth Rakes is ruinous & that John Hamer ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate to the Lord's Mill is ruinous & that Nathan Kay ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Kenyon height Lane is ruinous & that Nicholas Gregson ought to repair. Amercement 30/-

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Holt's Height lane is ruinous & that William Holt ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Parr Height lane is ruinous & ought to be repaired by the occupants of Parrs tenement. Amercement of William Marsh & Ann Thomasson in 30/-

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Christopher Height lane is ruinous & that the occupants of "Rosthorns" ought to repair. Amercement of James Howorth in 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalghs Yates called Haworth Lane is ruinous & that John Howorth ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called the Three Lows Lane is ruinous & that James Holt ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Nabb Lean is ruinous & that Alice Lomax widow ought to repair as occupant of "Old Stewards." Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Fogg Lane is ruinous & that Charles Nuttall ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Richard Orrell's Lane is ruinous & that John Isherwood ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate called Brooks Lane & Meadowcrofts Lane is ruinous & ought to be repaired by occupants of tenements called Brooks & Meadowcrofts. Amercement of James Haworth in 30/.

that the road leading from the King's Highway to Parrs Fold is ruinous & that William Marsh & Ann Thomasson ought to repair. Amercement of each in 30/.

that the way leading from the King's Highway to John Knowls house at Grindle End & William Bury's house at Clough is ruinous & that John Knowls Edmund Whewell & William Bury ought to repair. Amercement in 30/ apiece.

that the Lane leading from the Kings Highway to James Green's house is ruinous & that William Kershaw & James Green ought to repair. Amercement 30/ each.

that the Lane leading from the King's Highway to Bradley's tenement is ruinous & that Thomas Kershaw ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

that the lane leading from the King's Highway called Stones Bank to & through John Orrells tenement to Nathan Kay's house & thence to Roger Sharrock's house is ruinous & that James Mather & John Kay ought to repair. Amercement 30/ each.

that the Lane leading from Nab Yate to Holden Fold is ruinous & that James Lomax William Entwisle John Rosthorn & Thomas Haworth ought to repair. Amercement in 30/ each.

that the road leading from Greenwall's Yate over Charter's Moss to Oldham Yate is ruinous & that John Orrell John Kay the younger Roger Sharrock & John Kay the elder ought to repair. Amercement in 30/ each.

15 October 1762. that the way leading from Oldham Yate to Robert Mason's dwelling house & from Oldham Yate to William Mayoh's house is ruinous & that John Kay the elder William Mayoh & Robert Mason ought to repair. Amercement 30/ each.

COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	sworn	James Kay, Smith
John Knowls		John Horrocks Junr
James Lomax		John Mason
James Holt, three Lows		James Haworth, shoe-maker
Ralph Orrell		John Haworth
Richard Dewhurst		John Kay

Presentment

That Mill Field Lane & Haworth Rake are not repaired by John Hamer. Amercement in further sum of 30/.

of Hanah Kershaw widow occupant of "Green Walls" for not keeping open a gutter in New Field & Further Field adjoining the King's Highway. Amercement 20/.

of William Holt of Shore for letting or setting part of his Dwellinghouse contrary to the covenant made with Edward Chetham for harbouring or entertaining in the part of his dwellinghouse Mary Holt & John and Richard her sons. Amercement of William Holt in two pounds ten shillings if he do not remove Mary Holt John & Richard her sons within 6 days.

of James Kay for not keeping open a Gutter on the west side of the Highway between the top of the Highest Close belonging to "Buffs" to a gap lying within the lowest close. Amercement 20/.

That all the other orders made at the last Court have been duly performed.

27 April 1763. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

Edmund Wood Ralph Holt George Holt John Ashworth William Haslom James Hardman	sworn	Richard Thomasson Nathan Kay George Green Edmund Whewell John Whewell John Kay

Officers

Constables	John Orrell John Horrocks Junr	sworn
Wood Lookers	John Knowls Giles Marsh	,,
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle John Wood	,,
Moss Lookers	Nathan Kay John Whewell	,,
By Law Men	Richard Thomasson Samuel Pilkington	,,
Afferors	John Horrocks Senr John Pollit	,,
Impounder	— James Kay (Smith)	,,

Presentments

that a road leading out of and from a lane called Upper houses to a tenement called Nicodean is in want of repair and ought to be repaired by James Barlow. Amercement 30/.

that a road leading out of a lane called Mill Lane begining at the top of Nabb-Lane and from thence to the Lower-houses is in decay for want of repairs and ought to be repaired by James Holt of three lows. Amercement 30/.

that a road leading to the Lower-houses on the bottom of James Holt's fields at Castlemans is in decay for want of repairs and ought to be repaired by James Holt. Amercement 30/.

that a road leading to Thomas Rosthorns house is in decay for want of repairs and ought to be repaired by Thomas Rosthorn. Amercement 30/.

that a road leading to George Haworth's house is out of repair and ought to be repaired by George Haworth. Amercement 30/.

that a road leading to Lawrance Haworth's house is out of repair and ought to be repaired by Lawrance Haworth. Amercement 30/.

that a road begining at a Yate called Horribin brook yate and leading to Horribin Mill house is out of repair and ought to be repaired by John Whitehead. Amercement 30/.

of Henry Orrell, John Fielding and James Green for not appearing and doing suit and service at this Court Leet and Court Baron. Amercement 6/8 apiece.

that a Lane called Cousin Lane is become ruinous And in decay for want of repair and that the lower part ought to be repaired by Richard Rosthorn. Amercement 30/.

of Richard Pilkington at Isherwoods for harbouring and entertaining in his house two young women as Inmeats and strangers contrary to the law. Amercement 30/.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been duly performed except William Holt of Shore and James Kay who have neglected to do as ordered. [*Note*] They have since done & performed as ordered.

19 October 1763. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

John Wood	Sworn	James Knowls
William Entwisle		James Kay (Buffs)
John Topping		John Haworth the Elder
Samuel Hamer		Jeremiah Marsh
John Warbutton		James Haworth
Glies [*sic*] Marsh		Robert Mason

Presentments

That a road leading out of Upper Houses Lane to "Nicodean" presented at the last Court has not been repaired by James Barlow. Amercement £3 10/ further.

[*Marginal note*] "Repaired."

That Mill Field Lane and Haworth Rake is ruinous & that John Hamer ought to repair. Amercement £3.

[*Marginal note*] "Repaired."

Thomas Barlow amerced at last Court affeered at 30/.

Henry Orrell & John Fielding affeered at 1/. [*Note*] "Rec^d."

James Green affeered at Sixpence. [*Note*] "Rec^d."

John Horrocks } Affeerers
John X Pollit }

16 May 1764. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before Joseph Smallwood Gentleman, Steward.

Jurors

James Lomax	John Haworth Elder
John Knowls Haddocks	Roger Bromely
Peter Crook	Lawrance Haworth
James Holt 3 Lows	William Kershaw
Ralph Orrell	Christopher Mayoh
John Mason	Peter Mayoh

Officers

Constables	John Orrell	Jeremiah Marsh
Wood Lookers	Giles Marsh	William Kershaw
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle	James Holt 3 Lows
Moss Lookers	Ralph Orrell	Robert Mason
By Law Men	John Mason	John Hamer
Affeerers	James Lomax	William Haslom
Impounder	James Kay, Smith	

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The defendant was duly summoned by Samuel Pilkington to answer the above Plaintiff upon the 10th of this month.

16 May 1764. Oath made by the Plaintiff and the Jury find damages 9s. 10d. Costs 2d.

paid.

17 October 1764

COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	George Holt
John Ashworth	James Holt, Castlemans
Richard Dewhurst	James Haworth Elder
George Green	James Kay Blacksmith
James Hardman	Nathan Kay
William Haslom	John Kay for part of Sharrocks

Presentments

of James Kay the younger at Marsdens for not opening two Ditch Bottoms lying on the higher side of the Highway between the old Chapel & Marsdens house out of which Ditch bottoms the water breaks out into the High road. Amercement one pound.

of Roger Sharrock at Sharrock's for harbouring and entertaining one Ann commonly calledAnn of Great Mary's in his dwelling house as an Inmate and Stranger. Amercement five pounds, if the said Ann be not within six days removed.

of James Barlow for suffering his stoned Horse to run and stroul out of his pasture into the lands and grounds of his neighbours. Amercement three pounds if he do not keep the said Horse (unless Gelded) out of his neighbours pastures for the future.

Return of John Smith, Tenant of Timber bottom in place of his father James Smith deceased.

24 April 1765. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay.

Jurors

John Wood	sworn	John Kay
Edmund Wood		John Horrocks Junr
Giles Marsh, Cousins		William Holt
Richard Thomasson		John Knowls
John Smith		William Pilkington
James Kershaw		Thomas Rosthorn

Presentments

That Wood End Lane is ruinous & that Esther Wood widow ought to repaire. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way called Horribin Mill Lane is ruinous & that John Hamer ought to repaire. Amercement 30/.

That Millfield Lane & Haworth Rake is become ruinous & that John Hamer ought to repaire. Amercement 30/.

That the way leading from Greenhalgh Yate to the Lord's Mill is ruinous & that Nicholas Gregson ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Parr Height Lane is ruinous & ought to be repaired by Jeremiah Marsh. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called James Haworth Height Lane is ruinous & that James Haworth ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called the Three Lows Lane is ruinous & that Samuel Holt ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way leading from Greenhalgh's Yate & called Nabb Lane is ruinous & that Alice Lomax widow as occupant of "Old Stewards" ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

Officers

Constables	John Kay Jun[r] John Knowls of Haddocks	sworn
Woodlookers	Giles Marsh John Kay Sen[r]	sworn
Moss lookers	Ralph Orrell Robert Mason	cont[d]
By law men	Ralph Haworth William Pilkington	sworn
Affeerors	James Lomax William Haslom	,,
Impounder	James Kay	,,
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle James Holt 3 Lows	,,

23 October 1765. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

Ralph Orrell William Entwisle James Lomax John Lomax Peter Crook James Haworth C.R.	sworn	James Kay at Buffs Jonathan Kershaw Robert Mason John Warbutton John Pollit James Holt of Nabb

Presentment

of George Walmsley at Cocks Green for Killing eating & exposing to sale distempered cows such as are called Shittering & calves unwholesome meat. Amercement 30/.

of William Walmsley at Chapel Town [for a like offence]. Amercement 30/.

of John Whitehead of Horribin Mill for diverting the water in Horribin Mill Lane into his meadow. Amercement 10/.

that all orders made at last Court performed.

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Defendant duly summoned.

The Plaintive Samuel Pilkington made Oath that Defendant Richard Hamer is indebted to him in 6/11 for Milk butter & bread sold & delivered to the Defendant.

23 April 1766. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

Charles Nuttall John Horrocks Sen: Thomas Fogg John Topping James Knowls Samuel Hamer	Sworn	Ralph Holt Edmund Whewell John Hamer Jeremiah Marsh Dionysious Haworth Lawrence Haworth

James Lomax & William Haslom the affeerors affeer George Walmsley at 30/.

& on William Walmsley at 30/.

That all other Orders made at last Court have been duly performed.

Officers

Constables	John Kay the Elder John Orrell	sworn
Wood Lookers	Giles Marsh John Kay	,,
Moss Lookers	Ralph Orrell Robert Mason	,,

By law Men	Ralph Haworth William Pilkington	,,
Affeerors	James Lomax William Haslom	,,
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle James Holt, Nabb	,,
Impounder	James Kay	,,

22 October 1766. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell John Knowls John Ashworth William Haslom James Barlow Richard Dewhurst	sworn	George Holt James Haworth Sen[r] James Kay (smith) Nathan Kay John Kay the Elder William Kershaw

Presentment[s]

of Richard Thomasson for diverting a spring of water out of its Antient course which ought to run down a close called the Brown Hill belonging to James Kay to the dammage of the said James Kay. Amercement 30/.

Amercement of such persons as shall henceforth pass through the closes called the Bence the Priestcroft the Middlemost field & the Highmost field belonging to a tenement called "Meadowcroft" now in the possession of James Haworth towards a place called the Height Side in the sum of 1/.

That Mary Walmsley widow is become tenant of "Lower Houses" in the room of John Walmsley deceased.

That Esther Whewel widow is become tenant of Crankshaws in the room of John Whewel deceased.

That James Whewel is become tenant of Bradleys Tenement in the room of Thomas Kershaw removed.

6 May 1767. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Kay Steward.

Jurors

Edmund Wood John Whitehead John Pollit Richard Thomasson John Smith Timberbottom James Kershaw Greenwalls	sworn	John Kay Meadowhead John Horrocks Junr John Knowls Grindle-end James Hardman Richard Orrell James Lomax

Presentment

That John Pollit is become tenant of Wood End in the room of James Wood deceased.

That all other Orders made at the last Court have been performed.

Officers

Constables	John Orrell Robert Mason	sworn
Wood Lookers	Giles Marsh John Kay	,,
Moss Lookers	Ralph Orrell Robert Mason	,,
By Law Men	Ralph Haworth William Pilkington	,,
Affeerers	James Lomax William Haslom	,,
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle James Holt, Nabb	,,
Impounder	James Kay sworn	

21 October 1767. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Ridgway gentleman steward of the Court.

Jurors

John Wood	all sworn	James Holt, Nabbs
Ralph Orrell		Robert Mason
William Entwisle		Jonathan Kershaw
John Lomax		John Warbutton
James Kay, Buffs		Willam Pilkington
Giles Marsh, Cousins		Peter Crook

of John Pollit for not repairing Wood End Lane & for not opening a Sough lying at the bottom end of the Lane. Amercement 10/.

That another part of Horribin Mill Lane is ruinous & that John Whitehead ought to repair same & to turn the water running down the Lane into its antient course. Amercement 30/.

John Wood, Ralph Orrell } Affeerors sworn

27 April 1768. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

John Horrocks	sworn	James Haworth Senr
Thomas Fogg		Dionysious Haworth
John Topping		John Hamer
James Knowls of Owsle Nest		Edmund Whewel
Samuel Hamer		Lawrance Haworth
Ralph Holt		Jeremiah Marsh

Presentments

on the complaint of James Haddock of Edgeworth of John Hamer for not repairing Millfield Lane & Haworth Rake. Amercement 30/.

That another part of the way called Tower Rake & New Lane is ruinous & that John Healey ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That another part of Horribin Mill Lane is ruinous & that John Whitehead ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That another part of Wood End Lane is ruinous & that George Holt the younger ought to repair. Amercement 30/.

That Robert Haworth of Out Lanes harbours one . . . . . in his dwellinghouse as an inmate & stranger. Amercement 39s. & 11d.

Officers

Constables	Edmund Wood William Mayoh	sworn
Woodlookers	John Kay Giles Marsh	cont.
Moss Lookers	Ralph Orrell Robert Mason	,,
By Law Men	Ralph Haworth William Pilkington	,,
Fence Lookers	William Entwisle James Holt at Old Mans	,,
Impounder	James Kay	,,

John Horrocks
John Topping } Affeerors

26 October 1768. COURT of Edward Chetham Esq. before John Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell John Knowls Henry Ashworth George Holt James Kay Smith John Healey	Sworn	William Haslom Richard Dewhurst James Barlow John Horrocks Younger John Kay Elder John Kay Younger

Presentment

of John Whitehead for not repairing Horribin Mill Lane & a Scotch being at the head end of the lane up to a piece of wood lying

across the Scotch dividing Horribin Mill Lane & Wood End Lane which part of Horribin Mill Lane is become ruinous. Amercement 30/.

That all orders made at last Court have been performed (except John Whitehead Lane called Horribin Mill Lane which is not repaired).

John Orrell
John Knowls } Afferors sworn

) April 1769. COURT of Alice Bland widow Samuel Clows Esquire & Mary his wife Lord & Ladys of the Manor before John Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Edmund Wood	sworn	James Lomax
George Holt Junr		Richard Orrell
John Whitehead		James Hardman
Richard Thomsson		John Knowls Grindle End
John Smith		Thomas Isherwood
James Kershaw		Richard Ramwell

Officers

James Marsh Higher End
Giles Marsh Lower End } Constables sworn

Presentments

on complaint of John Healey of John Whitehead for not making and keeping up his fence called the Ring Fence lying between John Healey & John Whitehead. Amercement 33/4.

of John Whitehead of Horribin Mill for not repairing his dwelling-house & barn. Amercement 39s. 11¾d.

That all other orders made at last Court have been performed.

Edmund Wood
George Holt } Afferors sworn

11 October 1769. COURT of Alice Bland widow Samuel Clows & Mary his wife before John Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

John Horrocks Elder	All sworn	John Haworth Chapeltown
John Wood		Robert Mason
Ralph Orrell		Jonathan Kershaw
William Entwisle		John Warbutton
John Lomax		Peter Crook
James Kay Buffs		Edmund Berry Clough

Presentment

of Richard Pilkington for not diverting water off the Broad Causey in the Highway beginning at Knowls Lane & ending at the bottom of Ramsden brow. Amercement 10/.

That all other orders made at last Court have been performed.

John Horrocks, Ralph Orrell — Afferors sworn

10 May 1770 COURT of Alice Bland widow & Samuel Clows Esq. & Mary his wife before John Ridgeway Steward.

Jurors

John Orrell	All sworn	William Haslom
John Knowls		Richard Dewhurst
Henry Ashworth		James Borlow
George Holt		John Horrocks Younger
James Kay Smith		John Kay Elder
John Healey		John Kay Younger

Presentment

That a presentment made upon Richard Pilkington was not done within the time mentioned.

Upon complaint of James Hardman of Miles Pollit for not making and keeping up his fence beginning at the corner of Tong Field & opening the Ditch bottom on the top of the Carr Meadow & the fence in the Higher Ridings & thence down to the water dividing Turton & Little Bolton. Amercement 20/.

Order—that if any person turn their cattle into the common highway he shall forfeit 6/8 for each offence.

Presentment

Upon complaint of William Haslom of Miles Pollit for not making his fence between William Haslom & Miles Pollit beginning at an old Tree growing at the side of the fence in Tong Field & from thence to the bottom of the said field. Amercement 20/.

John Orrell } Affeerors
John Knowls

Constables
John Orrell sworn
James Marsh continued

17 ctober 770. COURT of Alice Bland widow Samuel Clows Esq. and Mary his wife. Before John Ridgeway Steward.

Jurors

James Lomax	All Sworn	John Topping
John Hamer		James Hardman
Dionysious Haworth		James Knowls Owsle Nest
Edmund Whewell		Thomas Smith at Oak
Lawrance Haworth		John Smith Timberbottom
Jeremiah Marsh		Ralph Holt

Presentment

upon complaint of Richard Dewhurst of John Haworth the younger for not making & keeping up his fence between Richard Dewhurst & John Haworth beginning at the corner of Green Clough & thence to the corner of Little Chapel Field. Amercement 15/.

Whereas complaint hath been made by tenants that their fences have been pulled down & destroyed We order that if any person shall pull down or destroy any of the fences or suffer their children to do the same he (or the parents of such child) so offending shall forfeit & pay 5/ for each offence.

All other orders made last Court performed.

James Lomax } Afferors sworn
John Hamer

17 April 1771. COURT of Alice Bland widow Samuel Clows Esq[r] & Mary his wife before John Ridgeway Steward.

Jurors

John Wood	All sworn	John Haworth, Chapeltown
William Entwisle		Robert Mason
Ralph Orrell		John Warbutton
John Lomax		John Whitehead
James Kay Buffs		Richard Thomasson
George Holt Elder		James Kershaw

All orders at Last Court duly performed.

Constables	George Green	Higher End
	Thomas Smith	Lower End

24 October 1771. COURT of Alice Bland widow Samuel Clowes Esquir & Mary his wife. Before John Ridgeway Steward.

Jury

John Horrocks	all sworn	John Healey
John Knowls		Jonathan Kershaw
Henry Ashworth		John Kay Sen[r]
William Haslom		John Kay Jun[r]
James Kay Smith		James Barlow
Richard Dewhurst		James Kershaw

Presentment

That John Smith hath neglected to cut the wood from his Hedge & to open his ditch bottoms on both sides the Highways between Scope Hole Lane & Fleming Pit & order him to cut & ditch or scour same effectually on or before 24th November in pain of forfeiting 30/-

of Henry Ashworth for not opening his Ditches & cutting down the smallwood out of the Hedges between Fleming Pit & Lower New Heigh & for not opening the Ditch bottom lying along the Highway on the top of the Over Heigh & order to cut & ditch or scour before 24th Nov[r]. Amercement 30/.

of William Haslom for not opening his ditch bottoms from the further side of the Lower New Heigh to the New Lane Head & from Topping Plat to the Guide Post & from the New Plat to the Eagley Water. Order him to cut & ditch & scour. Amercement 30/.

of Edmund Wood for not cutting down his smallwood out of his hedges & for not opening his Ditch bottoms from the Lord's Stile to the corner of Topping Meadow. Order to cut and ditch &c. Amercement 30/.

of John Topping for not cutting down his smallwood & for not opening his Ditch bottom from the corner of his Meadow to the east end of a close called the Watshaw Corner. Order to cut & ditch &c. Amercement 30/.

of James Hardman for not cutting down his smallwood from off his hedges from the Guide Post to the New Plat lying on the east side of the Lane & on the other side from Eagley Bridge to the Guide Post & from the Paddock Top to about half way the bottom of Seven loons & likewise the whole length of the close called the Watshaw Corner. Order to cut the same. Amercement 30/.

of John Orrell for not cutting down his smallwood from off his hedges & to open the Ditch bottoms from Watshaw Corner to the corner of Hardman's Paddock & from the turn in the Lane at the bottom of the Seven loons to the Nook of Cocks Green. Order to cut & ditch & scour. Amercement 30/.

of Richard Dewhurst for not opening the Ditch bottom from the corner of Thomas Isherwood Meadow to the corner of the Higher Close. Order to open &c. Amercement 30/.

of Richard Thomasson for not opening the Ditch bottom from the Old Chapel-brook to the Brown Hill Yate. Order to open &c. Amercement 30/.

of John Fielding for not opening the Ditch bottom from the end of his Croft to the Acre Nook. Order to open. Amercement 30/.

John Welch for not opening the Ditch bottom from the Acre Nook to the Dimple. Order to open. Amercement 30/.

of James Kay of Buffs for not cutting down his smallwood on both sides the Lane from the Dimple Brook to the Head of his Middlemost Close & for not opening the Ditch bottom on the side of the Middlemost Close. Order to cut & ditch or scour. Amercement 30/.

of Ralph Orrell for not cutting down his smallwood & to open the ditch bottoms from the round hill Yate to the Higher through in the round hill. Order to cut & ditch or scour. Amercement 30/.

of John Orrell for not cutting down his Smallwood & for not opening the Ditch bottoms on both sides the Stones Bank & from Charters Moss Yate to the Staff Gap. Order to cut & ditch or scour. Amercement 30/.

of Richard Pilkington for not opening the ditch or fence bottom down the west side of Ramsden Brow. Order to open. Amercement 30/.

of John Knowls for not keeping up his fence & for not opening the Ditch bottom from Knowls Lane End to Catchshaw Bridge. Order to keep up fence & scour Ditch. Amercement 30/.

John Horrocks
John Knowls } Afferors

13 May 1772. COURT of Alice Bland widow Samuel Clowes Esqr & Mary his wife before John Ridgway Steward.

Jury

James Lomax
John Hamer
Dionysious Howorth
James Whewell
Lawrans Howorth
Jeremiah Marsh } Sworn { John Topping
James Hardman
James Knowles Owselnest
Thomas Smith at Oak
John Smith at Timberboterm [*sic*]
John Horrocks ye yonger

Officers

Constables	James Marsh John Brooks	sworn
Wood lookers	John Kay James Knowles	continued
Moss lookers	Ralph Orrell Robert Mason	continued
Fence lookers	William Entwisle James Holt at Old Mans	Cont[d]
By law Men	Dionysious Howorth John Horrocks	Sworn

Presentment

Upon the complaint of John Brandwood of James Holt of Castlemans for not repairing a road begining at a gate at the bottom of Samuel Holt Lower Meadow and leading from thence to his own house. Amercement 15/.

John Topping } Affeerors
James Whewell } sworn

That all the orders made at last Court have been duly performed.

14 October 1772. COURT of Alice Bland Widow before John Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Thomas Fogg John Orrell John Wood Edmund Wood William Entwisle Ralph Orrell	All sworn	Richard Orrell John Warburton John Haworth Richard Thomasson John Whitehead James Marsh

Presentment

of John Young for not cutting his hedge and not opening his ditch between the top of James Hardman's Higher-Bent and the bottom of Cocks-Green.

Amercement 30/.

of Ralph Holt for not cutting his hedge from the Nook of the Pinnacle to the Bent Yate and not repairing his part of the Causey in the road leading from Bolton to Chapel-Town.

Amercement 30/.

of George Holt the younger for not cutting his hedges on both sides the road leading from Bolton to Chapel-Town.

Amercement 30/.

of John Whitehead for not cutting his hedges on both sides the road leading from Bolton to Chapel-Town.

Amercement 30/.

Thos Fogg, John Orrell — Afferors sworn

5 May 1773. COURT of Alice Bland widow before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Horrocks Senr	All sworn	Robert Mason
John Knowles		John Kay Senr
John Healey		John Kay Junr
William Haslam		James Whewell
James Kay Blacksmith		Jonathan Kershaw
John Young		George Green

Officers

Constables — Jno Whitehead, Jno Knowles — Sworn

That all the orders made at the last Court have been duly performed.

13 October 1773. COURT of Alice Bland widow before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Horrocks Sen[r]	All sworn	John Hamer
Ralph Orrell		Dionysius Haworth
James Lomax		James Knowles
Jn[o] Howard		Tho[s] Smith Timberbottom
Laurence Haworth		James Hardman
James Barlow		James Whewell

Presentment

of John Fielding in the Out Lanes for not opening his Ditch or Fence bottom from the West-End of his House to his Spout at the end of his Croft.

Amercement 5/.

of John Healey and John Whitehead for not repairing a stone-plat at the bottom of the lane called the New Lane lying between the Tower-Globes and Horrabin-Mill Brook.

Amercement 30/. each.

upon view of a certain Plat or Bridge lying upon the Tenement in the possession of John Healey over which lies a common foot-way for all passengers travelling over the same in their passage from Chapel-Town to Walmsley-Chapel.

that John Healey ought to repair the same. Amercement 30/.

John Horrocks, Ralph Orrell } Afferors sworn

27 April 1774. COURT of Alice Bland widow before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

William Entwisle	All sworn	John Topping
John Lomax		Tho[s] Horrocks
John Haworth at Brooks		John Ormrod
James Haworth		George Holt
James Kay at Buffs		James Marsh
James Whewell		John Whitehead

Presentment

that John Fielding of the Out lanes keeps useless Dogs which are become a nuisance to the neighbourhood.

Amercement 10/- for each Dog, if not destroyed in four days.

of Esther Holt for harbouring a Dog to the great damage and nuisance of the tenants of the Lady of this Manor.

Amercement 10/- if not destroyed in two days.

of John Horrocks the younger of Walmsley Chapel for suffering his Sows and Pigs to ramble abroad to the great hurt and damage of his neighbours.

Amercement 30/.

Upon view of a certain Plat or Bridge lying upon the Tenement in possession of John Healey and adjoining the Tenement in possession of John Howard.

that John Healey and John Howard ought to repair the same.

Amercement 30/. each.

Officers

Constables { Jn° Whitehead, Lower End
Moses Whewell, Higher End } Sworn

John Holt returned as Tenant of Holts in the room of Ralph Holt deceased.

William Entwisle
John Lomax } Afferors sworn

19 October 1774. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Orrell Edmund Wood Peter Crook John Holt William Holt John Kay Senr	All sworn	Richd Thomasson John Warbutton Robert Mason Jonathan Kershaw Jeremiah Marsh William Mayoh

Presentment

that John Fielding of the Out lanes wilfully and obstinately persists in keeping an useless Dog to the great damage and nuisance of the neighbourhood.

Amercement 10/- if dog not destroyed in four days.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been duly performed (except John Fielding who persists in keeping one of the Dogs).

John Low returned as Impounder of goods taken in Distress in lieu of James Kay Blacksmith deceased.

William Holt returned as tenant of Holts in the room of his Father deceased.

William Rawstron returned as tenant of Timber bottom in the room of John Smith deceased.

John Orrell } Afferors
Edmund Wood } sworn

10 May 1775. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Horrocks Senr Foreman	All sworn	Ralph Orrell
John Knowles		John Kay, Brandfield
Joseph Walsh		James Kershaw
James Haworth		James Holt
William Haslam		John Knowles, Grindle
Jno Kay Blacksmith		George Green

Presentment

of William Haslam for not repairing his part of the lane leading from Bromiley Cross to the higher end of the Hey Pit.

Amercement 10/.

of John Ormrod for not repairing his part of the lane leading from the higher end of the Hey Pit to the bottom of John Wood's lane.

Amercement 40/.

of John Knowles for not repairing his part of the said lane beginning at the Corner of his Meadow to the other Corner thereof.

Amercement 20/.

of John Holt and William Holt for not repairing their respective parts of the said lane beginning at the Corner of John Knowles' Meadow to the Wood End Lane.

Amercement 20/.

of John Whitehead for not repairing his part of the said lane beginning at the bottom of the Wood end Lane and reaching to the Swine yard plat.

Amercement 20/.

of Widow Lomax for not repairing her lane called Widow Lomax Lane leading from Charters Moss to Turton's Mill.

Amercement 10/.

of James Pilling for not repairing his lane called the Owlar Clough Lane.

Amercement 30/.

of Roger Ratcliff for not repairing Dunscar-Fold to the Marl'd-Earth Yate.

Amercement 10/.

that another part of the Foot way from the Marl'd Earth Yate to the Tong Stile leading from Dunscar to Bolton is in want of repair and that Joseph Walsh ought to repair the same.

Amercement 10/.

Jn° Topping } Constables
Nathaniel Haslam } sworn

Joseph Walsh tenant of Dunscar in the room of John Young removed.

All orders made at last Court duly performed (except John Fielding who still persists in keeping the dog for which he was amerced at last Court).

John Horrocks
and } Afferors sworn
John Knowles

25 October 1775. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

James Lomax Foreman	All sworn	Thomas Horrocks
John Topping		John Ormrod
John Whitehead		George Holt
John Lomax		Ralph Haworth
Thomas Smith Great Oak		Laurence Haworth
James Barlow		John Howard

Presentment

of William Haslam for not repairing the footway from Bromiley Cross leading up to Cousin Lane & for neglecting to render a Brook in the said lane effectually passable. Amercement 15/.

of William Holt at Shore for not repairing his part of the Lane leading from Charters Moss to Turtons Mill. Amercement 15/.

Upon the complaint of John Whitehead of John Healey for not opening his watercourse at the bottom of the New Lane within the Lees Meadow. Amercement 5/.

Ralph Haworth tenant of Castleman's in the room of James Holt removed.

All orders made at last Court performed.

James Lomax & John Topping } Afferors sworn

1 May 1776. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr. Before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

William Entwisle	All sworn	John Hamer
John Warbutton		Samuel Holt
James Knowles		John Crook
John Haworth at Brooks		Jeremiah Marsh
James Hardman		John Brook
Richard Thomasson		Peter Crook

Presentment

That a stile at or near the bottom of Horrobin Mill Meadow is ruinous & that John Whitehead ought to make & fix a new one. Amercement 10/.

of John Rothwell at Dimple for entertaining in his Messuage in Turton as an inmate a child of William Haslam's of Sharples by Ann his wife whereby the child is likely to become chargeable to this Township. Amercement £1 19 11. if child not removed before 10th May.

Officers

John Orrell, James Lomax } House Lookers

James Hardman, James Kershaw } Constables sworn

All the orders made at last Court performed except as against John Healey for not opening his watercourse at the bottom of the New Lane within the Lees Meadow.

William Entwisle, John Warbutton } Afferors sworn

23 October 1776. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq. before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Thos Horrocks, Foreman	All sworn	Jno Kay, Branfield
John Knowles		James Kershaw
John Horrocks		James Haworth
John Kay, Blacksmith		James Marsh
William Haslam		Thos Holt
Joseph Walsh		George Green

Presentment

of Edmund Wood for not repairing and keeping open a watercourse running after the side of Cousin Fold Lane beginning at top of Edmund Wood's Calf Hey down to Bromiley Brook. Amercement 10/.

of John Whitehead for not repairing a Scotch at top of Horrobin Mill Lane. Amercement 10/.

All Orders made at last Court performed.

Thos Horrocks } Afferors sworn
Jno Knowles }

23 April 1777. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Jno Topping	all sworn	Jno Kay, Grindle
John Ormrod		James Whewell
John Whitehead		Jno Lomax
John Holt		James Holt
George Holt		Jonathan Kershaw
Thos Smith		Ralph Haworth

Presentment

of John Whitehead for not repairing the housing & outhousing in his occupation. Amercement £25.

Officers

Constables	Edmund Berry, Higher End James Pilling, Lower End	sworn
Moss Lookers	Robert Mason continued John Kay sworn	
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	continued
By Law Men	Dionysius Haworth continued Jno Topping sworn	
Fence Lookers	James Holt at Oldman's Ralph Haworth sworn	,,

That all orders made at last Court have been performed.

Jno Topping } Afferors sworn
John Ormrod }

15 October 1777. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq. before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Adam Lomax Foreman	all sworn	James Lomax
John Wood		John Warbutton
Edmund Wood		Richard Thomasson
James Knowles		Laurence Haworth
Joseph Walsh		Jeremiah Marsh
James Hardman		James Kay Orrells

Presentment

of James Kershaw for not converting & confining the water in its proper Channel beginning at the end of Peter Mayoh Rough & reaching to John Kay Yate. Amercement 10/.

That the Lane in the occupation of John Hamer from the Mill Clough Brook to the Mill Field Yate is ruinous with regard to the footpath & that John Hamer ought to repair. Amercement 39/.

of John Hamer for neglecting to repair two Scotches in Haworth Rake & for not turning the water out of the Rake. Amercement 5/.

That the Foot-path leading over the Oak Green is ruinous & that Thomas Smith ought to repair. Amercement 15/.

Whereas complaint has been made that persons have gotten Turbary upon Charters Moss & have neglected to lay the Sods in the bottom whence the Turbary was got Whereby the proprietors suffer damage in their herbage. Amercement [of offenders] in 39/.

All Orders made at last Court performed except as against John Whitehead amerced in £25.

Adam Lomax
John Wood } Afferors sworn

May 778. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Presentment

Thomas Fogg Foreman James Kay at Buffs John Haworth at Brooks Moses Whewell Robert Mason John Knowles Grindle	all sworn	John Orrell Samuel Hall William Holt John Kay Blacksmith James Orrell John Mason

of John Hamer for not repairing the lane in his occupation with regard to the footpath beginning at the Mill Clough brook and ending at the Mill-Field Yate. Amercement 39/-

of John Whitehead for not repairing the lane in his occupation from the style in Horrobin Brow to the Plat at the bottom of the Brow, together with the Plat. Amercement 39/.

of John Low for turning the water out of its course in the Boar-Stone Ditch bottom. Amercement 5/.

of James Fielding for turning the water from the Goose-Cote Hill Yate across the high way to the damage of it and of James Pilling. Amercement, if the water be not turned into the Wilk-hey Ditch, one pound.

Officers

Constables	Adam Lomax John Kay	sworn
Moss Lookers	Robert Mason John Kay	continued
Woodlookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	continued

Fence Lookers	James Holt at Oldmans Ralph Haworth	continued
By Law Men	Dionysius Haworth John Topping	continued

That the orders made at the last Court have been performed except as against John Whitehead whose amercement in twenty five pounds is postponed until Michaelmas day.

Thos Fogg
James Kay } Afferors sworn

7 October 1778 COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Jno Kay Bd Foreman James Kershaw Thos Smith John Brook Laurence Haworth John Hamer	All sworn	James Haworth Joseph Walsh Willm Rawstron John Haworth, Isherwoods Thos Kershaw John Whitehead

Presentment

of John Kay Blacksmith for not removing the rubbish out of the Highway whereby the Highway is damaged by the rubbish not being properly removed and a free passage made for the water and the Highway levelled.

Amercement 15/.

of John Kay Blacksmith for not erecting a wall in its usual place where he has gotten Stone for building at the side of the Stanrows.

Amercement £1 10/.

of John Mason for not keeping the water in its proper channel at the side of the Highway from the fence belonging to the Sisshey to William Walsh's Meadow.

Amercement 12/.

of James Orrell for not keeping the water off the Highway from Dewhurst's Gate to the corner of John Crook's Meadow.

Amercement 12/.

That all orders made at the last Court have been performed except as against John Whitehead whose amercement was postponed to Michaelmas last, and finding the same not to be performed.

Amercement £25.

John Kay
James Kershaw } Afferors Sworn

28 April 1779. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqre before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Topping Foreman	Jno Kay, Grindle
Jno Knowles	John Lomax
Jno Ormrod	James Holt
Jno Holt	James Whewell
Willm Haslam	James Kay at Orrell's
George Holt	Peter Mayoh

Presentment

that the lane in the possession of John Hamer from the bottom of the Tower-rake to the new Mill-bridge is in want of repair.

Amercement of John Hamer 30/.

of John Whitehead for not repairing his Lane from Horrobin Mill Brook to the swine yard Plat.

Amercement 10/.

that the Plat Called the Swine yard Plat is in want of repair and that Samuel Hall and John Whitehead ought to repair the same.

Amercement 5/- each.

Officers

Constables	Joseph Walsh Peter Mayoh	sworn
Moss Lookers	Robert Mason John Kay	continued
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	continued
Fence Lookers	James Holt at Oldmans Ralph Haworth	continued
By Law Men	Dionysius Haworth John Topping	continued

That all the orders of the last Court have been duly performed except as against John Kay who stood amerced £1 10/. The amercement by consent of Samuel Hall postponed.

Jn° Topping
Jn° Knowles } Afferors Sworn

20 October 1779. COURT of Mordecai Greene Esqre before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Hampson John Orrell John Wood James Knowles Samuel Hall James Hardman	All sworn	John Warburton James Kay Richard Thomason Jeremiah Marsh John Mason James Orrell

Presentment

of John Topping, John Hampson, John Warburton, James Orrell, Widow Crook, Thomas Smith, John Brooks, Thomas Kershaw, Joseph Walsh, Roger Ratcliff, James Fielding, James Pilling, Adam Lomax,

Edmund Horrocks, John Howorth, and James Howorth for not repairing a certain wall at the bottom of a certain Close in Turton called the Great Stanrose lying to and adjoining on the North East side of the public Highway in Turton leading from the Market Town of Bolton to the Market Town of Blackburn beginning at the west corner of a certain Field in Turton called the furthermost Rough in the occupation of John Lowe and ending at the south corner of a certain Field in Turton called the Little Stanrose in the occupation of Ellen Pilkington (except the Gate and Gate place leading from the Highway into the close called the Great Stanrose) containing in length fifty four roods. The aforesaid have time immemorial repaired and ought now to repair the same.

Amercement 2/- each.

of John Kay Blacksmith for not sufficiently erecting a Wall in the usual place where he has gotten Stone for building at the side of the Stanrose.

Amercement £1

of John Hamer for not sufficiently repairing the lane from the bottom of the Tower Rake to the New Mill Bridge.

Amercement 39/.

of John Fielding for not opening his Ditch at the side of the Highway and for not removing the rubbish out of the said Highway.

Amercement 5/.

of James Isherwood for not opening his Ditch from a certain Plat near the top of Ramsden Brow to Knowles Lane End.

Amercement 10/.

of James Kay for not properly opening the Watercourse from a Plat called Orrell through at the bottom of Charter's Moss leading down the Higher Round Hill and for not effectually opening a Ditch Bottom from a Plat in the Highway adjoining the Lower Round Hill to another place where the Water crosses the Highway near Martha's gap.

Amercement 10/.

of John Whitehead for not repairing his lane from Horrobin Mill Brook to the top of Horrobin Scotch, especially the Scotch.

Amercement 38/.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed (except as against John Hamer and John Kay, Blacksmith).

John Hampson
John Orrell } Afferers sworn

19 April 1780. COURT of Mordecai Greene Esquire, before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Orrell sworn	sworn	James Holt
John Kay Brandfield		John Lomax
James Ainsworth		Joseph Walsh
Edmund Wood		John Topping
Jonathan Kershaw		Richard Thomason
Peter Crook		John Crook

Presentment

of John Topping for not repairing his share of a wall at the bottom of a Field in Turton called the Great Stanrose lying to and adjoining on the North East side of the public Highway in Turton leading from the Market town of Bolton to the Market Town of Blackburn.

Amercement 5/.

of John Fielding for not removing the rubbish out of the Highway from his own house to the old Spout.

Amercement 5/.

of John Horrocks for not opening a Ditch Bottom from the New Spout to the Dimple Hillock.

Amercement 5/.

of Richard Ramwell for not opening a Ditch Bottom from the New Spout to his Barn End And for neglecting to remove the rubbish out of the Highway.

Amercement 5/.

of John Horrocks for not removing the rubbish out of the Highway from the Dimple Hillock to John Fielding'sHouse.

Amercement 10/.

Officers

Constables	Benjamin Helm Peter Crook	sworn
Moss lookers	John Orrell John Kay	sworn continued
Woodlookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	continued
Fence Lookers	James Holt at Oldhams Ralph Howarth	continued
By Law Men	Dionysius Howarth John Topping	continued

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed, except as against John Kay Blacksmith and John Hamer. And also as to John Topping for not repairing his part of the Stanrose Wall.

J: Orrell } Afferors
J: Kay } sworn

11 October 1780. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

James Kay Buffs John Holt Jno Haworth James Ainsworth James Knowles John Crook	All sworn	Thos Kershaw James Hardman John Ormrod John Knowles Samuel Holt James Whewell

Presentment

of John Crook Miller for neglecting to open the Water course at the bottom of the Fields called the nearer Marl'd and the further Marled.

Amercement 5/.

of William Walsh for not opening his Water course from the corner of a Field called the nearer Marl'd in the occupation of John Crook to a Plat at the bottom of William Walsh's Meadow.

Amercement 5/.

of William Topping, Jn° Hampson, John Warbutton, James Orrell, Widow Crook, Thos Smith, Jn° Brooks, Thos Kershaw, Joseph Walsh, Roger Ratcliff, James Fielding, James Pilling, Adam Lomax, Edmund Horrocks, John Haworth, and James Haworth for neglecting to open each his respective share of the Water-Course adjoining to the Highway beginning at the Stanrose Gate and ending at a Field in the occupation of John Lowe called the furthermost Rough.

Amercement of each 5/.

of John Lowe for not opening his Water Course from the corner of the Stanrose to a Place called the Causey-end in the Highway.

Amercement 5/.

of James Fielding and Roger Ratcliff for neglecting to open each his respective share of the Ditch at the side of a Field called Cockshaw Yate.

Amercement 5/.

of James Ainsworth and George Holt for not repairing Horrobin Mill Scotch.

Amercement 15/.

of John Hamer for not effectually repairing that part of his Lane called Haworth's Rake and for neglecting to turn the Water off the said Lane.

Amercement 30/.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except as against John Hamer and John Topping.

James Kay } Afferors sworn
John Holt }

2 May 1781. COURT of Mordeca Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Hampson Foreman William Haslam William Holt Thomas Smith Samuel Knowles George Holt	All sworn	Benjamin Helme William Holt at Shore James Mason John Kay at Grindle Jeremiah Marsh John Howarth

Officers

Constables	John Hampson Will[m] Holt at Shore	sworn
Moss Lookers	John Orrell John Kay	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Holt at Oldmans Ralph Haworth	cont[d]
By Law Men	Dionysius Haworth John Topping	cont[d]

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except as against James Ainsworth for not effectually repairing Horrobin Mill Scotch.

return of Benjamin Helme as Tenant of Sharrocks in the room of Roger Sharrock removed.

return of James Ainsworth as tenant of Horrobin Mill in the room of John Whitehead removed.

return of James Mason as tenant of Cooper's in the room of his Father Robert Mason deceased.

return of Rich[d] Pilkington as tenant of Rawstron's in the room of James Haworth removed.

Jn[o] Hampson } Afferors
William Haslam } sworn

24 October 1781. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

James Lomax Foreman	All sworn	James Haworth
John Warbutton		Jonathan Kershaw
James Kay at Orrell's		Peter Mayoh
James Hardman		James Kershaw
John Ormrod		John Mason
Samuel Hall		John Hamer

Presentment

of Thomas Kershaw for not opening and scowering his Fence bottom from the corner of the house in the possession of John Bromiley to a sough going into the Smithy Field.

and that the scowerings be removed so as not to obstruct the Highway.

Amercement 5/.

of James Ainsworth for not opening his Ditch Bottom from a Scotch in Horrobin Mill Lane to Horrobin Mill Brook. Amercement 10/.

of James Ainsworth for neglecting to repair Horrobin Mill Scotch. Amercement 15/.

James Lomax, John Warbutton } Afferors sworn

24 April 1782. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Jn° Kay Branfield	All sworn	Richard Thomasson
Jn° Crook Miller		James Lomax
Edmund Bury		James Mason
John Lomax		Jn° Crook Matherfold
James Holt		Giles Marsh
James Whewell		John Haworth

Presentment

of Edmund Wood for suffering his Ditch bottom beginning at the bottom of John Wood's Croft and ending at Bromiley Brook at certain places to slip down into the Watercourse and instead of effectually removing the rubbish out of the Water Course encroaches upon the Road by pulling from the Road-sides and suffering the rubbish to remain.

Amercement £1.

Officers

Constables	John Kay Thos Kershaw	sworn
Moss Lookers	John Orrell John Kay	continued
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	continued
Fence Lookers	James Holt Ralph Haworth	continued
By-law Men	Dionysius Haworth John Topping	continued

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except as against James Ainsworth.

16 :tober 782. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Orrell William Haslam James Ainsworth Samuel Knowles John Holt Willm Holt	All sworn	Thos Kershaw Willm Holt at Shore John Haworth at Brooks's Ralph Haworth at Rawstron's Jeremiah Marsh James Kershaw

Presentment

of John Hamer for neglecting to repair two Scotches one in Haworth Rake and the other in the Mill Clough Brow.

That John Hamer ought to repair the same.

Amercement 15/.

that the flagged footpath from the Mill Clough Brow leading towards the Chapel Town extending in length about three Rods is ruinous and in want of repair.

that John Hamer ought to repair the same. Amercement 5/.

That all former orders have been performed.

Jn° Orrell
Wm Haslam } Afferors sworn

7 May 1783. COURT of Mordecai Green Esqr before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Jn° Hampson Foreman	All sworn	Moses Whewell
Jn° Knowles		James Haworth
Thos Smith		Christopher Mayoh
George Holt		James Marsh
James Knowles		George Green
John Haslam		Jn° Knowles at Knowles's

Presentment

Under complaint of James Pilling that the occupier of the lower part of Hey Meadow ought to cause to be hung a Gate at the end of the Owlar-Clough Lane adjoining to the said Meadow two stone studs being fixed for that purpose. Richard Orrell being now the occupant.

Amercement 15/.

Officers

Constables	Christopher Mayoh George Warbutton	sworn
Moss Lookers	Jn° Orrell Jn° Kay	continued

Wood Lookers	Jn° Kay at Grindle James Knowles	continued
Fence Lookers	James Holt Ralph Haworth	continued
House Lookers	Jn° Orrell James Lomax	continued
By-Law Men	Thos Smith James Haworth	sworn

That all the Presentments at the last Court have been duly performed except as against John Hamer for not repairing two Scotches the one in Haworth Rake and the other at Mill Clough Brow, and for not repairing the flagged Foot-path from the Mill Clough Brow leading to the Chapel Town extending in length about three Rods.

Amercement as to the former 15/.
as to the latter 5/.

John Hampson } Afferors
John Knowles } sworn

Jury last Court

James Kay at Buffs
Richard Orrell
James Kay at Orrells
Jonathan Kershaw
Benjamin Helm
James Hardman
John Mason
John Crook Mather fold
James Mason
Nathaniel Haslam
John Ormrod
Josiah Holt

28 April 1784. COURT of Mordecai Green Esquire before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Orrell James Ainsworth William Holt John Holt George Holt Ralph Haworth Junr	All sworn	James Holt Samuel Holt James Kershaw John Kay Thomas Mason John Dewhurst

Presentment

of John Crook Senior for turning the water out of its proper course near the middle of great Cocks Carr which formerly run by Walmsley Old Chapel.

Amercement 10/.

of Josiah Holt for not repairing and keeping open a Water course beginning at Moss Meadow Gate and ending at Fitt-Moss.

Amercement 10/.

of John Fielding for not keeping in repair a Fence beginning at a through at the Bottom of Brown Hill and ending at the East Corner of Little Acre. Amercement 10/.

of Richard Ramwell for not keeping in repair a fence beginning at East Corner of a Field called little Acre and ending at the West Corner of great acre.

Amercement 39/.

Officers

Constables	John Dewhurst Jeremiah Marsh	sworn
Moss Lookers	John Orrell John Kay	contd
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	contd

Fence Lookers	James Holt Ralph Haworth	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	sworn cont[d]
By-Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	cont[d]

That all the orders of the last Court have been duly performed except against John Hamer for not repairing the flagged way leading to Mill Clough Platt, and John Haworth for not opening the water course opposite his own door.

Amercement John Hamer 10/.
John Haworth 5/.

John Orrell
James Ainsworth } Afferors sworn

27 October 1784. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

James Lomax John Lomax John Haslam John Howard John Warbutton John Hamer	All sworn	John Crook Miller Giles Marsh Samuel Knowles John Green John Unsworth Ralph Haworth at Rawstrons

Presentment

of Richard Kay for not opening the Sough at Stones Bank and suffering the Water to overflow the Road.

Amercement 5/.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except as against John Fielding.

James Lomax
John Warbutton } Afferors sworn

27 April 1785. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Kay Branfield	all sworn	George Green
James Kay Orrells		John Knowles, Knowles
John Knowles Top of Turton		Christopher Mayoh
James Knowles		John Haworth Brooks
James Haworth		Thomas Kershaw
James Marsh		William Holt Shore

Presentment

of John Dewhurst for not opening the Water Course beginning at Dewhurst Gate and ending at a sough going into his own field.

Water course to be opened and the rubbish removed.

Amercement 15/.

of Ellen Pilkington and John Mason for not opening the Water Course beginning at Standrose Gate and ending at the Corner of William Walshes Meadow.

Amercement 15/ each.

of John Dewhurst and Joseph Walsh for not repairing their shares of Standrose Wall.

Amercement 7/- each.

Officers

Constables	John Crook Miller Benjamin Knowles	sworn
Moss Lookers	John Orrell John Kay	Cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	Cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Holt Ralph Haworth	Cont[d]

House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	Cont[d]
By-Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	Cont[d]

That all the orders made last Court have been performed.

John Kay
James Kay } Afferors sworn

26 October 1785. COURT of Mordecai Green Esquire before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

James Kay Buffs	All sworn	John Crook Matherfold
Jonathan Kershaw		James Mason
Richard Orrell		Nathaniel Haslam
Benjamin Helm		John Ormrod
James Hardman		Josiah Holt
John Mason		John Entwisle

Presentment

of Richard Thomasson for not opening his Ditch bottom betwixt Brown-hill Gate and a Sough going out of his own Meadow.

Amercement 5/.

of John Fielding for not opening his Ditch-bottom betwixt the East and West end of his own Croft.

Amercement 5/.

of Robert Wood for not opening his Ditch Bottom betwixt the East and West End of his Meadow called the Acre.

Amercement 5/.

That all the orders of last Court have been performed except against John Dewhurst.

John Entwisle returned as Tenant of part of Brookses and part of Meadowcroft's in the room of John Haworth removed.

Joseph Law returned as Tenant of Armsgrove in the room of James Wood deceased.

James Mason returned as Tenant of Crankshaw's in the room of Moses Whewell removed.

James Kay } Afferors
Richard Orrell } sworn

10 May 1786. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq[r] before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Thomas Fogg	All sworn	Richard Thomasson
Richard Bury		James Haworth
Samuel Hall		John Kay, Branfield
John Wood		James Mason
John Ormrod		James Kershaw
James Knowles		James Ainsworth

Presentment

of Richard Orrell for not properly hanging a Gate at the Lower End of the Owler Clough Meadow Lane.

Amercement 2/6.

of James Ainsworth George Holt John Holt William Holt Samuel Knowles John Wood & John Ormrod for not repairing the Lane between Swine Yard Brook & Edmund Wood's gate & [of] John Haslam if he does not sough the water running into the High pit.

Amercement of each £1-1/.

of William Walsh John Crook & John Mason for not opening their ditches between Bottom of Great Lane Field & bottom of Richard Thomasson's Meadow.

Amercement of each in 5/.

Richard Bury tenant of part of Hamers & part of Nickadean.

Officers

Constables	John Pilkington Henry Knowles	sworn
Moss Lookers	John Orrell John Kay	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kay at Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason Ralph Haworth	sworn cont[d]
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	cont[d]
By Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	,,

All orders made last Court performed except against Robert Wood.

Samuel Hall
John Wood } Afferors sworn

18 October 1786. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq. before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

James Lomax John Knowles John Hamer Ralph Haworth Sen[r] Samuel Knowles John Wood Windy Harbour	All sworn	James Warbutton George Warbutton John Lomax John Crook John Unsworth Henry Green

Presentment

of George Warbutton Edmund Haworth John Crook Mather Fold James Haworth John Haworth Thomas Smith and John Wood for not opening their shares of the Sluices trenches or watercourses & for not

conveying the water properly of the road betwixt Smithy & Stanrose Gate being the North side of the Road. also [of] Thomas Bridge & William Haslam for the same adjoining their own Ground. Also [of] George Warbutton (for Stones) & [of] John Dewhurst for the same adjoining their own ground being the west side of the road. And also [of] Ellin Pilkington John Mason & William Walsh for the same adjoining their own ground being the North side of the Road. Also [of] John Brooks for not opening his sluices & not conveying the water properly of the Road betwixt the Road leading into his own Fold & the Plat below. And also [of] John Orrell & James Hardman for not opening their sluices & not conveying the water properly of the Road betwixt Hardman's & Richard Orrells Newhouse.

Amercement of each of them 10/-

All orders made last Court have been performed except as against James Ainsworth, George Holt, John Holt, William Holt, William Walsh & John Mason.

James Lomax
John Knowles } Afferors sworn

9 May 1787. COURT of Mordecai Green Esq. before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

John Kay, Branfield
Benjamin Helm
James Hardman
Ellis Greenhalgh
John Haslam
James Kay, Whittles } All sworn

Thomas Smith
George Green
John Crook, Matherfold
John Knowles, Knowles
Josiah Holt
James Marsh

Presentment

of James Ainsworth for not keeping in repair the Hedge beginning at the Plat at the corner of Horse Hey & ending at the Nook of George Holt Field. Amercement 20/.

of Thomas Bridge Joseph Walsh & James Rothwell for not keeping in repair their respective shares of Stanrose Wall. Amercement of each in 7/-

Officers

Constables	John Crook Jeremiah Marsh	substitutes sworn
Moss Lookers	John Orrell John Kay	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kay Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason Ralph Haworth Sen[r]	,,
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	cont[d]
By Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	,,

All orders made at last Court performed except against John Dewhurst.

John Kay
Benjamin Helm } Afferors sworn

10 October 1787. COURT of Mary Green Lady of the said Manor Before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Hall William Holt George Holt John Hamer John Entwisle Ralph Haworth Jun[r]	all sworn	James Knowles John Ormrod James Holt John Wood George Haworth John Crook Miller

Presentments

of James Rothwell for not opening his sluice & conveying the water of the Road beginning at the new Enclosure at the top of Cocks Green & ending at the Road going to Goose Cote Hill. Amercement 5/.

of John Hamer for not repairing the Scotch & Road leading to Mill Clough Plat. Amercement 10/.

of James Ainsworth for not repairing the Road from Horrobin Mill Plat to George Holt's Scotch. Amercement 10/.

of George Holt & Robert Holt for not repairing their shares of the Road beginning at George Holt's Gate & ending at the top of Robert Holt's Scotch. Amercement 5/.

of Samuel Knowles for not opening the sluice coming out of Long Side. Amercement 5/.

of John Ormrod for not repairing the Road from John Wood's scotch to his own gate. Amercement 10/.

of Edmund Wood for not opening his sluice from the top of his own Fields to the Bottom. Amercement 10/.

of Henry Green for not repairing the Road from his own Scotch to Armsgroves Brook. Amercement 15/.

All orders of last Court performed.

Samuel Hall } Afferors sworn
William Holt }

Richard Bury & James Ainsworth Summoned as Jurors have paid each one shilling for not appearing in proper time.

Whereas the Accounts of the Overseers of the Poor within the Manor of Turton have of late greatly increased in journeys & expenses We the Jurors do recommend that a Vestry or Town's Meeting be called on Tuesday 23rd instant at the usual place in order to take the matter into consideration & to ascertain & fix such sums of money as shall be allowed or not allowed for travelling expenses in business relative to the said office.

6 April 1788. COURT of Mary Green Lady of the Manor. Before John Ridgway jun^r Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

James Kay	all sworn	John Crook, Matherfold
John Mason		James Mason
Richard Ramwell		Nathaniel Haslam
James Haworth		George Green
Richard Thomasson		Benjamin Helm
James Kershaw		John Brook

Presentment

of Richard Orrell for not properly hanging a Gate at the Lower End of Owler Clough Meadow Lane. Amercement 10/.

of William Walsh for not erecting a proper stile & sufficiently opening the Ditch bottom in Cocks Carr Pasture. Amercement 5/.

of John Hamer for not conveying the water properly off the New Road at Mill Clough Platt. Amercement 20/.

of William Holt Robert Holt & Samuel Knowles for not repairing their respective shares of the Footpath belonging their tenements leading from Turton to Bolton. Amercement in 10/- each.

of Thomas Smith for not repairing the Footpath beginning at the Hollow Tree & ending at the Stile leading into Tongue. Amercement 39/.

of James Pilling Roger Ratliff & Richard Orrell for not repairing the road between Owler Clough Lane Gate & the Highway. Amerce ment of each in 10/.

of James Kay of Whittles for not repairing the fence beginning at Bridges Field & ending at near the Upper End of Mill Meadow. Amercement 39/.

Officers

Constables	James Ainsworth Richard Pilkington	sworn

Moss Lookers	John Orrell Benjamin Helmn	cont[d] sworn
Wood Lookers	John Kay, Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason Ralph Haworth	,,
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	,,
By Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	,,

Orders made last Court performed except against James Rothwell who stands amerced in 5/.

Afferors	James Kay John Mason	sworn

8 October 1788. COURT of M[rs] Mary Green before John Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

M[r] Isaac Bolton James Warbutton George Warbutton Robert Brook Joseph Lowe Henry Knowles	all sworn	John Wood Sen[r] Samuel Knowles Thomas Booth Richard Pilkington John Unsworth James Holt

All orders made last Court performed.

Rev[d] M[r] Amos Ogden tenant of Orrells in the room of Richard Orrell deceased.

John Wood tenant of Windy Harbour in room of John Wood deceased.

Robert Brook tenant of Stewards in room of John Lomax.

Peter Crook tenant of Rushtons in room of Thomas Mason.

Thomas Smith tenant of Timberbottom in room of John Smith deceased.

Ann Kershaw tenant of Lower Brandfield in room of Jonathan Kershaw deceased.

Samuel Holt tenant of Oldmans in room of James Holt.

Samuel Hall tenant of Wood End in room of George Holt.

John Hardman tenant of Hardmans in room of James Hardman deceased.

William Knowles as tenant of Nichodean in room of James Barlow deceased.

Isaac Bolton
James Warbutton } Afferors sworn

6 May 1789. COURT of Mrs Mary Green held before Jno Ridgway junr Steward.

Jurors

James Lomax	All sworn	James Knowles
John Crook		Isaac Orrell
Thomas Smith		George Haworth
James Marsh		James Kay Whittles
John Knowles		Thomas Wood
John Hardman		John Haslom

Presentment

of Richard Orrell for not properly hanging a Gate at the lower End of the Owler Clough Meadow Lane.

Amercement 5/.

of John Hamer for not repairing the Road between Mill Clough Plat and New Mill Bridge. Likewise the Foot path leading from Mill Clough Plat to the Chapel.

Road to be stoned widened and repaired and Flags of the Footpath properly laid and repaired.

Amercement £1 19s.

Isaac Orrell returned as Tenant of Orrelfold in the room of John Orrell deceased.

Officers

Constables	Peter Heywood Ralph Haworth	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d] sworn
Wood Lookers	John Kay Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason Ralph Haworth	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	cont[d]
By Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	cont[d]

That all the orders made at last Court have been duly performed.

Afferors	James Lomax John Crook Miller	sworn

7 October 1789. COURT of M[rs] Mary Green before John Godfrey Deputy Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Hall Samuel Holt Richard Ramwell Jeremiah Marsh John Hamer John Entwisle	All sworn	John Ormrod John Mason John Wood Stanrose Peter Crook Peter Heywood Giles Marsh

Presentment

of William Holt, John Holt and Robert Holt for not repairing their shares of the Road belonging to their Farms betwixt Oven Field Gate and the further End of the Pinnacle.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of William Mayoh if he does not turn the Water into its ancient Course and sufficiently open the ancient sluice at a Lane near Martha Gap.

Amercement £1-19.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except against John Hamer who stands indicted in the sum of £1-19.

Peter Crook returned as Tenant of Rushton's in the room of Thomas Mason removed.

James Seddon returned as Constable for the remaining part of the year in the room of Peter Heywood removed.

Constable James Seddon sworn

Afferors { Samuel Hall, Samuel Holt } sworn

May 790. COURT of Mrs Mary Greene before John Ridgway Junr Steward.

Jury

James Kay Buffs	All sworn	Benjamin Helmn
James Haworth		John Brook
James Holt Kenyons		Robert Mason
George Green		John Knowles
Nathaniel Haslam		James Warbutton
James Kershaw		George Warbutton

Presentment

of James Ainsworth for not repairing the hedge and scouring the Ditch beginning at Lees Brook and ending at the Corner Nook of Wood End lower Field.

Amercement £1-10.

That all the orders made at last Court have been performed except against John Hamer who has paid £1-19 as in that, and the aforesaid, Presentment.

Robert Mason returned as Tenant of Bradley's in the room of James Whewell removed.

John Ashworth returned as Tenant of Bertenshaw in the room of Henry Ashworth deceased.

Officers

Constables	Samuel Holt William Holt	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kay Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	cont[d] sworn
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	cont[d]
By Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	cont[d]
Afferors	James Kay of Buffs James Haworth	sworn

20 October 1790. COURT of M[rs] Mary Greene before John Ridgway Jun[r] Steward.

Jury

John Ormrod John Wood Sen[r] George Orrell John Howard William Green John Hardman	All sworn	John Haslam John Mitchell Robert Brooks Richard Pilkington Henry Green Isaac Ward

Note

James Ainsworth being summoned as Juror has paid the sum of one shilling for not appearing in due time.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except against James Ainsworth who stands indicted £1-10s.

John Howard returned as Tenant of Pilkingtons in the room of John Howard deceased.

That a number of special Constables will be highly serviceable in this township, and do return each and every of ourselves as special Constables excepting Isaac Ward who being not an Inhabitant of this Township, Jeremiah Marsh returned as special Constable in his room and place.

John Ormrod John Wood George Orrell John Howard William Green John Haslam	All sworn	John Hardman John Mitchell Robert Brooks Richard Pilkington Henry Green Jeremiah Marsh

Afferors { John Ormrod, John Wood } sworn

. May 1791. COURT of Mrs Mary Greene before J. Ridgway Steward.

Jury

Samuel Knowles James Lomax Jeremiah Marsh James Seddon Edmund Holt James Holt Kenyons	All sworn	John Crook Miller William Holt James Kay Branfield Benjamin Helmn Thomas Wood James Marsh

Presentments

of John Haslam, John Ormrod, John Wood, Samuel Knowles, William Holt, John Holt, James Seddon, James Ainsworth, Sarah

Hall, John Hamer, Edmund Holt, William Wood, John Entwisle, Amos Ogden, Henry Green and Joseph Lawe for not repairing each of their respective shares of the Road betwixt Bromiley Cross and Armsgrove Brook.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of James Ainsworth for damaging the Road leading to the Wood End and the Little Field belonging the said Tenement by getting of stones.

Amercement £1-10.

of Richard Orrell at Orrells for not opening the Gutter below the Sough at the bottom of Charters Moss within the Round Hill.

Amercement 15/.

That all the orders of the last Court have been performed except against James Ainsworth.

Officers

Constables	Simon Lomax William Green	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont^{d}
Wood Lookers	John Kay Grindle James Knowles	cont^{d}
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	cont^{d}
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	cont^{d}
By-Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	cont^{d}

Impounder John Lowe continued

Afferors	Samuel Knowles John Crook	sworn

Special Constables

Samuel Knowles	All sworn	John Crook Miller
James Lomax		William Holt
Jeremiah Marsh		James Kay Branfield
James Seddon		Benjamin Helmn
Edmund Holt		Thomas Wood
James Holt Kenyons		James Marsh

12 October 1791. COURT of Mrs Mary Greene before John Ridgway Junr Steward.

Jury

George Scholes	All sworn	Jeremiah Marsh
Thomas Smith		Joseph Lawe
Edmund Crossley		John Pilkington
John Wood Stanrows		John Lomax Over Houses
John Entwisle		Thomas Slater
Robert Mason		John Brook

George Scholes returned as Tenant for part of Hamers and part of Nichodane in the room of Richard Bury deceased.

Thomas Wood returned as Tenant of Lower Houses in the room of Edmund Wood deceased.

Edmund Holt returned as Tenant of a Cottage in Chapel Town in the room of James Haworth remd.

William Haworth returned as Tenant of Batteridge in the room of William Entwisle deceased.

Presentment

of Henry Green for not opening the Sough and turning the Water out of the Lane into the rough Meadow, and

of Joseph Lawe for not opening the Ditch Bottom and turning the water out of the Lane into the Armsgrove.

Amercement 10/- each.

of Mary Horrocks for not opening the Sough leading out of Greenwalls Lane into Isherwood Close.

Amercement 10/.

of Robert Holt for not repairing his Lane commonly called Height Lane.

Amercement 30/.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except against John Hamer, James Ainsworth and James Seddon who stand amerced in £1-19 each.

Special Constables

George Scholes Thomas Smith Edmund Crossley John Wood Stanrows John Entwisle Robert Mason	All sworn	Jeremiah Marsh Joseph Lawe John Pilkington John Lomax Over houses Thomas Slater John Brook

Afferors { George Scholes, John Entwisle }

25 April 1792. COURT of Mrs Mary Greene before John Ridgway Junr Steward.

Jury

Mr Edmund Haworth Samuel Holt Robert Hall William Haworth James Kay Branfield Richard Orrell Orrells	All sworn	James Holt Clerk James Pilling John Crook Matherfold John Lomax Nabb Peter Crook Isaac Orrell John Ormrod

Presentment

of each person that shall for the future go or travel through or over two Closes called the Cow Heys belonging to a tenement now in the possession of John Haslam of Bertenshaw.

Amercement 3/4 each.

of each person that shall for the future go or travel over or through a Close in Turton called the Croft now in the possession of Mr John Ashworth and adjoining the westerly End of the House in the possession of Mr William Hulton.

Amercement 3/4 each.

of each person that shall for the future go or travel over or through the Easterly Southerly or Westerly sides of a Close called the Barn Field now in the possession of Mr Edmund Haworth being a part of an estate called Toppings.

Amercement (except in the usual pathway down the Northerly side thereof) 3/4 each.

of Mary Horrocks for turning her cattle into the Lane leading from her Dwelling House to the Guide Post near Charters Moss in Turton, and suffering them to abide there until they stray out of the same, being a nuisance to her neighbours and to the public.

Unless she disist upon having Notice of this Presentment

Amercement 20/.

of James Ainsworth for not repairing his Lane from Horrobin Mill Platt to Horrobin Mill Scotch.

Amercement £1-19.

of Robert Holt for not repairing his Lane commonly called Height Lane.

of John Smith for not attending as Juryman according to summons.

Amercement 1/.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed.

Officers

Constables { William Green substitute for John Nuttall, Henry Green } sworn

Moss Lookers { Benjamin Helmn, James Marsh } contd

Wood Lookers	John Kay Grindle James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	cont[d]
By-Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	cont[d]
Impounder	John Lowe	cont[d]

Special Constables

M[r] Edmund Haworth Samuel Holt Robert Hall William Haworth James Kay Branfield Richard Orrell Orrells	All sworn	James Holt Clerk James Pilling John Crook Matherfold John Lomax Nabb Peter Crook Isaac Orrell John Ormrod

Afferors	John Wood Stranrows John Dewhurst	sworn

10 October 1792. COURT of M[rs] Mary Greene before John Ridgway Junr Steward

Jury

Samuel Knowles Giles Marsh James Marsh Edmund Mason James Haworth Richard Orrell Dunscar	All sworn	Richard Pilkington John Hamer Ch: Town John Mayoh John Haslam Robert Brook John Howard John Kershaw

Presentment

of Robert Hall for not opening and widening his Sough ruñing out of the Lower Field into the Long Meadow, and also for not opening the Gutter in the said Field and running through the said Sough and conveying the Water properly off the Road.

Amercement £1-5.

of James Pilling for not repairing Owler Clough Lane, and also of Roger Ratcliff for not repairing his Lane leading from his dwelling House to John Thomasson's.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of John Crook, William Walsh, John Mason, John Pilkington, James Haworth, John Wood, John Crook, Matherfold, James Pilling, George Warbutton, Edmund Haworth, Edmund Horrocks, Roger Ratcliff, Betty Walsh, William Haslam, John Dewhurst, James Rothwell, Richard Orrell, and John Hardman for not opening and cleansing each of their respective shares of the Gutter, Sluice, or Ditch Bottom adjoining the Highway leading from Walmsley Old Chapel to Eagley Bridge.

Amercement £1 each.

of John Brook for not conveying the water of the Highway running out of his own Fold into the said Road.

Amercement £1-5.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except against Robert Holt who stands amerced as before.

Afferors { John Wood Stanrows, John Dewhurst } sworn

Special Constables Samuel Knowles Giles Marsh James Marsh Edmund Mason James Haworth Richard Orrell Dunscar	All sworn	Richard Pilkington John Hamer Ch[1] Town John Mayoh John Haslam Robert Brook John Howard John Kershaw

1 May 1793. COURT of Mrs Mary Greene before John Ridgway Steward.

Jury

John Wood Windy Harbour	All sworn	John Hardman
John Knowles Grindle		Edmund Holt
Thomas Wood		Ralph Haworth
John Crook Miller		Robert Holt—Shore
Thomas Mather		John Hamer—Tarkintons
James Warbutton		James Haworth
		John Smith

Presentment

of Robert Hall for not attending as Juryman Amercement 1/-

Whereas divers complaints have been made by several of the Tenants & Inhabitants of persons pulling down Fences Gates Footbridges Stiles and of making Footpaths where there usually or originally have been none & also of straying out off the usual Footpaths & of many such like Misdemeanours Amercement of each person so offending or suffering his or their child to offend in 2/6 for each offence.

Officers

Constables	John Haslam John Unsworth	sworn
Wood Lookers	John Kay Grindle James Knowles	contd
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	,,
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	contd
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	,,
By-Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	,,

Impounder John Lawe cont[d]

Special Constables—the whole of the Jury of that Court.

Afferors { William Green, John Entwisle } sworn

16 tober 793. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Isaac Orrell
John Charters
John Entwisle
Peter Ormrod
James Hamer
John Mason

Thomas Smith
James Kay Branfield
Nathaniel Haslam Ramsdens
William Haslam Egertons
Thomas Slater
Samuel Holt for Oldmans
Richard Orrell, Orrells

Presentment

of Roger Ratcliff John Thomasson & Richard Orrell for not repairing their shares of the Lane leading betwixt Cocks gate & Dunscar Fold. Amercement of Roger Ratcliff in 39/ & John Thomasson & Richard Orrell in 15/.

Special Constables—the whole of the jury of that Court.

Afferors { William Wood, John Howard } sworn

April 794. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway jun[r] Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Wood
Edmund Crossley
Robert Brook
Ellis Greenhagh
James Holt Clerk
Benjamin Helmn

William Mayoh, Meadowhead
John Pilkington
John Kershaw
Edmund Bury
James Pilling
John Southern
James Holt, Kennions

All orders made last Court performed except against Richard Orrell John Thomasson & Roger Ratcliff.

Presentment

of James Rothwell for erecting a wall in an irregular form & not allowing sufficient Road for Cart & Foot-way leading from the High-way to the Dwellinghouse of James Pilling situated at Little Dunscar. Amercement 39/.

That the Afferors & Bye-Law-Men examine the occupation Road thro' lands late belonging to Revd Mr Rothwell & sold by him to Richard Orrell John Thomasson Thomas Halliwell & Edmund Haworth & also thro' lands belonging to the said Mr Rothwell & by him leased to Roger Ratcliffe & that they make report to the next Court who they conceive ought of right to keep the said road in repair.

Officers

Constables	Richard Worsick James Mayoh	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont^d^
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	sworn cont^d^
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	cont^d^
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	,,
Bye Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	,,
Impounder	John Lawe	cont^d^

Special Constables—the aforesaid Jury

Afferors	John Ashworth Samuel Knowles	affirmed sworn

22 tober 794. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway jun^r Steward.

Jury

Samuel Knowles William Haworth Jeremiah Marsh James Knowles John Howard John Haslam	All sworn	Richard Thomasson Junr John Holt John Hardman Richard Isherwood Richard Kay James Kay Thomas Wood

The Afferors and Bye Law Men of the last Court present

that the occupation road thro' certain Lands belonging to Edmund Haworth, Thomas Halliwell, Richard Orrell, John Thomasson, and the Revd Mr Rothwell and now leased by him to Roger Ratcliff of right belongs to the said Roger Ratcliff and that he or his Under-Tenants ought to repair the Road during the Term of the Lease.

John Smith for not laying a Platt at the Hollow Tree and repairing the Foot path beginning at Hollow Tree and ending at the stile leading into Tongue.

Amercement £1-19.

That all the orders of the last Court have been performed.

William Horrocks for not attending as Juryman.

Amercement 1/.

Special Constables

Samuel Knowles William Haworth John Howard John Haslam James Ainsworth John Wood	All sworn	John Holt Richard Isherwood Richard Kay Thomas Wood Edmund Crossley James Crook

Afferors { John Ashworth, Samuel Knowles } cont^d

8 April 1795. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before John Ridgway Jun[r] Steward.

Jury

M[r] John Charters	All sworn	Thomas Slater
Edmund Holt		James Haslam
James Mayoh		John Smith
James Mason		James Marsh
James Haworth		Henry Green
John Crook		William Green

Presentment

of Richard Pilkington, Thomas Halliwell, John Orrell, William Haslam and James Holt all Principal Tenants within the Manor of Turton for not attending at the said Court nor paying their Essoins.

Amercement 1/- each.

of Thomas Norris and James Ainsworth for not attending as Jurymen.

Amercement 1/- each.

of John Holt for not repairing his Share of the Lane leading from Turton Chapel Town to Bolton belonging the Tenement in his Holding.

Amercement £1-19.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed.

Officers

Constables	John Lomax James Crook proxy for Thomas Slater	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	cont[d]

House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	cont[d]
Impounder	John Lawe	cont[d]

Special Constables—the whole of the jury of that Court.

Afferors	Samuel Knowles John Wood	sworn

28 October 1795. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before John Ridgway Jun[r] Steward.

Jury

John Ormrod Isaac Orrell Peter Ormrod Richard Orrell James Knowles John Hall	All sworn	Roger Hamer Richard Pilkington Simon Lomax John Mayoh Sen[r] Nathaniel Haslam John Crook Miller

Presentment

of John Knowles, John Kershaw, Nathaniel Haslam, and James Kay for not conveying the Water off the Highway betwixt Catchshaw Bridge and Jephey Gate.

Amercement 10/6 each.

of William Holt and Thomas Kay for not conveying Water off the Highway betwixt Bottom of Stones Bank and round Hill Gap.

Amercement William Holt £1-19.
Thomas Kay 10/6.

of John Hardman, Richard Orrell, Thomas Halliwell and James Rothwell for not conveying the Water off the Highway betwixt Hardman's Pit and the Rock.

Amercement 10/6 each.

of John Haslam for getting Stones at Cocksgreen and breaking up the Highway and not filling up the said Stone Pit, nor making the Road sufficient to pass without danger.

Amercement £1-10.

of Thomas Smith for not attending as Foreman of the Jury.

Amercement 2/6.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed.

James Knowles excused from serving as Special Constable upon account of his age and infirmities.

Special Constables—the other eleven jurymen.

Afferors	James Kay William Holt	sworn

14 April 1796.

COURT of James Greene Esqr before John Ridgway Junr Steward.

Jury

John Haslam John Southern John Nuttall Robert Brook William Haworth James Kay Branfield	All sworn	James Warbutton Edward Best Thomas Wood Samuel Marsh James Ainsworth Thomas Smith

Presentment

of Peter Ormrod for not opening the Sough at the Top of Horrobin Scotch so as to contain Water in a Flood and for not repairing the Scotch in a proper manner.

Amercement £1.

of James Ainsworth for not repairing Horrobin Mill Lane and Platt in a sufficient Manner.

Amercement £1.

That all the orders of the last Court have been performed except against John Kershaw, John Hardman, Richard Orrell, Thomas Halliwell and John Haslam.

Officers

Constable	James Crook proxy for Edw[d] Best, Sam Marsh and Will[m] Knowles	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	cont[d]
By Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	cont[d]
Impounder	Isaac Orrell	Appointed

Special Constables—the whole of the jury of that Court.

Afferors	William Holt James Kay	cont[d]

19 October 1796.

COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before John Ridgway Jun[r] Steward.

Jury

James Kay Buffs Benjamin Helmn Giles Marsh John Mason John Holt John Hardman	All sworn	James Holt Keñions Samuel Hall John Wood Thomas Haydock James Pilling John Kershaw Edmund Crossley

Presentment

of John Brook for not making and hanging a Gate at the Fold belonging the Tenement in his occupation.

Amercement £1-10.

and also for not Ditching in a proper manner betwixt the Highway and Bent Gate.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Smith for not repairing the Foot path from the higher end of Oak green to the lower end of old Barn Lane.

Amercement £1-10.

of John Haworth, Robert Brook, James Warbutton, Robert Holt, and James Holt for not repairing their shares of the Fences and Gates belonging to each of their respective tenements on Turton Heights.

Amercement £1-19.

of Thomas Halliwell for erecting a wall so as to encroach upon the highway lea ling to Bolton and the occupation Road leading to Dunscar.

Amercement £1-19.

That all the orders of the last Court have been performed.

Special Constables

Benjamin Helmn Giles Marsh John Mason John Holt John Hardman James Holt	All sworn	Samuel Hall John Wood James Pilling John Kershaw Edmund Crossley

Afferors { James Haworth, Samuel Knowles } sworn

19 April 1797. COURT of James Greene Esqr before John Ridgway Junr Steward

Jurors

James Lomax John Horrocks Junr Thomas Mather Samuel Holt John Ramwell Edmund Holt James Marsh	all sworn	Richard Orrell James Hamer James Rothwell Thomas Horrocks George Orrell Richard Worsick

Presentment

of John Holt of Holts for not repairing the Share of the Road belonging the tenament [*sic*] in his occupation leading to Bolton.

Amercement 30/-

upon the representation of Samuel Knowles & James Haworth the afferors find that Thomas Halliwell hath not encroached upon the Highway in the manner stated in a presentment of the last Court but hath encroached upon the occupation Road as there stated. Amercement 10/6 if he do not remove his wall as far back as the ancient boundary fence.

All orders of last Court performed except as before excepted.

Officers

Constable [*sic*]	John Helmn proxy for Thomas Mather & Richard Orrell	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	,,
Fence Lookers	James Mason John Ormrod	,,
House Lookers	James Kay Buffs James Lomax	,,
By Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	,,
Impounder	Isaac Orrell	appointed

Jury return themselves as Special Constables except James Lomax.

Afferors	Samuel Knowles John Ormrod	cont[d] sworn

25 October 1797. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway Junr Steward.

Jurors

John Crook, Miller	all sworn	Roger Hamer
James Haslam		John Lomax
John Smith		John Unsworth
William Green		William Haworth
Isaac Orrell		Richard Thomasson Junr
William Holt		Thomas Isherwood

Presentment

of Thos Kay William Holt Robert Mason Benjamin Helmn & John Kay for not properly repairing the road over Charters Moss from opposite Greenwall's Gate to Hagfield Gate. Amercement of each in 39/.

of John Kay for not repairing his share of the road from Hagfield Gate to Rushton's Hillock Gate. Amercement 12/.

of Peter Crook for not repairing his share of the road from Rushton's Hillock Gate to the Lower Field Gate. Amercement 12/.

of James Mason for not repairing his share of the road from the Lower Field Gate to the New Plat. Amercement 31/6.

of Peter Crook for not repairing his share of the Road from the New Plat to Rushtons. Amercement 12/.

of John Holt for not repairing his share of the Road belonging the tenement in his occupation leading from Chapel Town to Bolton. Amercement 39/.

of James Kay of Buffs for not opening the Ditch Bottom on the northeasterly side of the Highway leading from Bridge Brow to Near Buffs Pit. Amercement 12/.

All orders of last Court performed.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

Impounder	Isaac Orrell	sworn
Afferors	John Kershaw John Mayoh	sworn

11 April 1798. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway jun[r] Steward.

Jurors

John Nuttall W[m] Haworth Swan James Hamer Isaac Orrell Thomas Haydock Edmund Crossley Peter Ormrod	all sworn	John Howard Henry Green James Mayoh Edmund Bury John Kershaw James Haworth

Officers

Constables	James Crook proxy for Jn[o] Howard John Whittle proxy for Tho[s] Halliwell John Helmn, continued	all sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	,,
Fence Lookers	William Haworth John Ormrod	appointed cont[d]
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	,,
Impounder	Isaac Orrell	cont[d]

All orders of last Court performed.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

24 October 1798.

COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway jun^r Steward.

Jurors

Solomon Cooper Samuel Knowles John Haslam John Orrell William Mayoh, Holdens John Isherwood	all sworn	James Ramwell Edmund Mason Jeremiah Marsh Giles Marsh James Hamer Robert Mason James Gregory

Presentment

of Thomas Smith for not opening the Ditch Bottom from the Sough near John Brooks to Bradshaw Brow & from thence to the Gate leading to John Smith's. Amercement 15/.

of John Pilkington for not opening the Ditch bottom from the bottom of his own Meadow to Stanrows & of Thomas Isherwood & John Walsh for not opening the Ditch Bottom & conveying the water of the Highway from Stanrows leading to a Plat crossing the Highway. Amercement 10/.

John Walsh & Christopher Horrocks each fined one shilling for not attending as Jurymen.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

10 April 1799.

COURT of James Greene Esq. before the Deputy Steward of Jno Ridgway jun^r Steward

Jurors

Samuel Knowles Samuel Marsh John Hardman John Southern James Rothwell Thomas Horrocks George Holt	John Horrocks, Cross Guns John Dewhurst James Warbutton Richard Pilkington John Hamer Tarkintons Simon Lomax Tarkintons

Presentment

of Christopher Horrocks for not repairing the Foot Road from Flag Field Gate to the Fold Gate; & for not repairing the Ditch & opening the Ditch bottom from the Fold Gate to the Chapel Gate. Amercement 30/ in respect of Footpath & 20/ in respect of Ditch & Ditch bottom.

Officers

Constables	James Crook proxy for Margaret Entwisle for part of Brookses & part of Meadowcrofts John Dewhurst & John Whittle proxies for William Mayoh for Holdens	All sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	,,
Fence Lookers	William Haworth John Ormrod	,,
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomas	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	,,
Impounder	James Rothwell	sworn

Orders of last Court performed.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables, except John Dewhurst.

Afferors	James Kay John Kershaw	sworn

16 October 1799. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway jun^r Steward.

Jurors

William Haworth John Mayoh Robert Brook Richard Thomasson Junr Roger Hamer John Lomax Thomas Isherwood	all sworn	William Green John Mason John Smith James Haslam Bertenshaw John Horrocks, Swan Samuel Hall

Presentment

of John Walsh James Pilling sen^r George Warbutton Edmund Haworth James Horrocks Thomas Slater John Southern James Rothwell Thomas Halliwell & his Subtenants Richard Orrell & John Hardman for not opening & cleansing their respective shares of the Gutter Sluice or Ditch bottom adjoining the Highway leading from Walmsley Old Chapel to the Guide Post near the new Smithy. Amercement One Pound each.

of James Holt for not repairing the Scotch at the top of Green Walls Lane & for not opening the sluice into Isherwood Close & for not opening the Ditch bottom between Moss Meadow Gap & Tit Moss. Amercement one Pound.

It was represented at the next Court that James Holt was not the occupant & therefore was not presentable.

of John Horrocks for not opening the sough out of Greenwalls Lane into Isherwood Close. Amercement 5/.

of James Kay for not opening the Ditch Bottom from the Gap leading into the Rough to Gep Hey Gate. Amercement One Pound.

Orders of the last Court performed.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

Afferors for the Lower End	John Crook Samuel Knowles	sworn
Afferors for the Higher End	James Kay John Kershaw	sworn

5 April 1800. COURT of James Greene Esq. before John Ridgway jun[r] Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Knowles Isaac Orrell Peter Ormrod Thomas Haddock Samuel Haslam Sen[r] William Green John Dewhurst	All sworn	Giles Marsh Richard Kay John Kay Dimple Edmund Mason Robert Mason James Warbutton

Presentment

of Thomas Smith for not removing the rubbish or Scourings of the Ditch bottom of the Highway from Flemming Pit to the Little Oak. Amercement 10/.

of John Walsh for not repairing his ditch betwixt James Hamer's & John Nuttal's premises on each side of the highway & for suffering his cattle to go upon the Foot Road. Amercement 39/.

of John Horrocks for not repairing the Scotch at the Gate at the top of Green Walls Lane & for not opening the sough above the Lower Gate & for not opening the Sluice at the Higher Gate. Amercement 10/.

of Edward Best for not attending as Foreman of the Jury in 2/6—paid.

of Edmund Bury for not attending as Juryman in 1/—paid.

of Christopher Horrocks for not repairing the new Fence on each side of the new Turnpike Road leading from Bolton to Blackburn from the South East side of the Little Chapel Field to the Dimple Hill & for not opening certain Soughs. Amercement 39[s] 11[d]

All orders of last Court performed except that John Horrocks did not open the Sough out of Greenwalls Lane into Isherwood Close for which he was amerced in 5/; but we find that there was no necessity for his opening the Sough as it woud [*sic*] have been rendered useless by the water which flows through the same.

Officers

Constable	James Haslam proxy for Ralph Longworth James Warbutton	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	,,
House Lookers	James Kay James Lomax	,,
Bye Law Men	James Haworth Thomas Smith	,,
Impounder	James Rothwell	,,

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables except Thomas Haddock.

Afferors for the Lower End	John Crook John Nuttall	sworn
Afferors for the Higher End	William Wood James Kay	sworn

22 October 1800. COURT of James Greene Esq. before the Deputy of Jn° Ridgway Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Kenyon Thomas Slater George Warbutton James Kershaw Thomas Smith James Pilling James Crook	all sworn	Robert Mayoh William Ward James Mayoh John Butcher Peter Crook William Mayoh Meadowhead

Presentment

of Thomas Halliwell for not opening the sluice or watercourse from a certain sough crossing the Highway leading to a certain Sough at Dunscar Gate. Amercement 10/.

of James Rothwell for not removing the rubbish out of the Highway which he has thrown out of the sluice opposite his own Field. Amercement 10/.

of John Nuttall & William Haslam for not opening their shares of the sluice opposite Stanrows being 64 yards in length. Amercement of each in 10/.

of Richard Orrell for not erecting a Gate in Owler Clough Lane leading to Dunscar Fold. Amercement 12/.

All orders of last Court performed.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors { Samuel Knowles, John Crook } sworn

5 April 1801. COURT of James Greene Esq. before Roger Roydon Jackson Deputy of Charles Barrett Gentleman Steward.

Jurors

Mr Edmund Haworth John Nuttall Giles Marsh George Orrell Thomas Kitchen John Ormrod John Smith	all sworn	John Kershaw John Kay Turnpike John Hamer, Tarkingtons James Haslam Engine Samuel Holt Robert Brook

Presentment

of Peter Crook Surveyor of the Highway for the Higher End of Turton for not breaking the stones on the said Highway but letting them lie in the same manner as they did when thrown out of the carts. Amercement 39/.

of Jn° Sudern in 2/6 for not attending as Juryman. Paid.

We judge Benjamin Helmn very excusable for not attending he being sick & not in a situation fit to attend.

of John Horrocks for not attending the Court to be sworn as Constable. Amercement 5/.

Amercement of said John Horrocks in further sum of 34/ if he or a Deputy be not sworn in Constable before 27th inst.

We order that any person who owes suit & service at this Court except such as owe the same in respect of Cottages shall for non-attendance in future pay double Essoins & be subject to such fines as the Jury may please to lay upon them.

All orders of last Court performed.

Officers

Constable	James Crook proxy for John Sudern	sworn
Moss Lookers	Benjamin Helmn James Marsh	contd
	William Ward appd not sworn	
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	contd
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	,,
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	contd sworn
By Law Men	Thomas Smith James Haworth	contd
Impounder	James Rothwell	,,

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables except Mr Edmund Haworth.

Affearors	John Crook Richard Kay	sworn

14 October 1801. COURT of James Greene Esq. before Roger Roydon Jackson Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Knowles Peter Cort James Knowles George Holt Isaac Orrell John Mason Roger Hamer	all sworn	Ellis Greenhalgh Richard Pilkington Thomas Crook William Ward John Kershaw Samuel Hall

Presentment

of James Kay of Branfield for not opening the Ditch bottom from Wilkin Plat to Jephey Gate. Amercement 20/.

of Jeremiah Marsh for not opening his Ditch Bottom opposite Buffs Pit. Amercement 5/.

of James Kay of Buffs for not opening his Ditch bottom from the top of the new Pavement to Buffs Pit on each side of the Highway. Amercement 30/.

William Wood is become tenant in respect of the Public House lately occupied by Mrs Ogden & in respect of Pilkingtons lately occupied by John Howard.

John Horrocks had not proper notice to attend last Court & therefore we remit fine then imposed.

All other Orders of last Court performed.

William Ward to be sworn as Moss Looker as he was not sworn at last Court.

Moss Looker William Ward sworn

Affearors { Richard Kay
John Horrocks

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

14 April 1802. COURT of James Greene Esq. before Roger Roydon Jackson Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Suddren John Crook, Matherfold James Kershaw Samuel Marsh William Green William Haslam, Bertenshaw John Hardman	All sworn	William Crankshaw Henry Green Thomas Isherwood Simon Lomax Richard Thomasson John Kay, Dimple

Presentment

of Robert Mason, James Holt, John Kershaw, Peter Mayoh, Robert Holt, John Mayoh, Jeremiah Marsh, Giles Marsh, Richard Pilkington, Margaret Ramwell & Samuel Holt for certain defaults in Heights Lane or near adjoining thereto set forth hereafter.

1st Robert Mason for not making & maintaining a Gate called Greenwalls Gate opening into Charter's Moss. Amercement One Pound.

2nd James Holt for not keeping up a Rampart in the Road at the South-east corner of Isherwood's Close & for not opening a Gutter near the same so as to convey the water from the Rampart into the Close & for not repairing his road thro' Kenyon Height & for not maintaining a gate at the east end thereof. Amercement 39s/11d.

3rd John Kershaw for not keeping open the Sough or Plat at a Gap opening out of Greenwalls Lane into his field next Charters Moss & for not opening his ditch on each side of the said Plat & also in part of James Holt's Lane. Amercement one Pound.

4th Peter Mayoh for not opening his Ditch on the north side of James Holt's road thro' a part of Kenyon Height. Amercement One Pound.

5th Robert Holt for not repairing his Road on Shore Height & for not making a sufficient sough across the same & for not hanging his gate in a proper manner at the East end of the said Road. Amercement 39s/11d.

6th John Mayoh for not opening his Ditch on the north side of Robert Holt's Road on Shore Height. Amercement one Pound.

7th Jeremiah Marsh & Giles Marsh for not repairing their road in Parr Height & not for making [*sic*] sufficient soughs therein. Amercement 39s/ each.

8th Richard Pilkington for not repairing his Road betwixt Parr Height & Haworth's Land & for not making a proper Rampart therein & also for not opening his gutters so as to convey the water from the same. Amercement 39s/11d.

9th Margaret Ramwell for not repairing her Road from Richard Pilkington's Road to the west end of Three Lows Lane & also for not opening the soughs & gutter to carry off the water from the same. Amercement 39s/-

10th Samuel Holt for not repairing his road in several parts of Three Lows Lane & for not opening his Gutter so as to carry off the water from the said Road. Amercement 39/

Officers

Constables	John Crook Roger Hamer	sworn
Moss Lookers	James Marsh William Ward	contd
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	,,

House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont[d]
Bye-Law-Men	Thomas Smith Simon Lomax	,, sworn
Impounder	James Rothwell	,,

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

All orders of last Court performed.

Affearors	Robert Brookes William Haworth	sworn

20 October 1802.

COURT of James Greene Esq[r] Before Roger Roydon Jackson Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Crook, Miller Peter Ormrod, Jun[r] John Holt W[m] Haslam, Bertenshaw Thomas Horrocks Richard Kay	All sworn	Robert Mason Giles Marsh William Haslam John Hamer, Tarkingtons John Lomax William Crankshaw James Warbutton

Presentment

of James Holt for not conveying the water off the South west side of Height Lane & for not opening his Gutter betwixt the new Sough & the end of Kenyon Height. Amercement 20[s]/-

All orders of last Court performed except that made against James Holt & Robert Holt for certain defaults in Height Lane. Estreat of each of them in Fines then imposed.

Recommendation to M[r] Barrett, Steward not to levy the fines if the said James Holt & Robert Holt perform the order within one month from the date hereof.

Jurors return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors	Robert Brookes William Haworth	continued

3 April 1803. COURT of James Greene Esq. before Roger Roydon Jackson Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Samuel Knowles Peter Cort Richard Thomasson George Orrell John Mason John Nuttall James Ormrod	All sworn	James Haslam Engine William Ward John Kay Grindle James Knowles in the Lane Thomas Crook Samuel Holt Threelows

All orders of last Court performed.

An order made last court but one against James Holt and Robert Holt not complied with.

Recommendation to the Steward not tto levy Fines then imposed if defaulters perform the orders within six weeks.

Officers

Constables	James Crook Richard Thomasson Roger Hamer	sworn continued
Moss Lookers	James Marsh William Ward	cont^{d}
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont^{d}
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	cont^{d}
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont^{d}
Bye Law Men	Thomas Smith Simon Lomax	cont^{d}
Impounder	Henry Knowles	sworn

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors	Robert Brookes William Haworth	cont^{d}

26 October 1803.

COURT of James Greene Esqr before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Samuel Hall Peter Ormrod Senr Isaac Orrell John Nuttall John Smith Samuel Marsh William Green	All sworn	James Mayoh John Ramwell John Kershaw Edmund Holt William Holt John Mayoh

Presentment

of Richard Thomasson Surveyor of Highways for not repairing Stones Bank in a proper Manner.

Amercement £1-19.

of Thomas Slater for not attending as Juryman.

Amercement 2/6 paid.

of John Crook, Peggy Mayoh, Benjamin Mayoh, James Kershaw, John Kay, John Horrocks, John Cocker, John Walsh, John Crook, Matherfold; James Ormrod, George Warbutton, Edmund Haworth, James Hamer, James Horrocks, Thomas Slater, John Sudern, Jane Bridge, James Rothwell, John Dewhurst, John Nuttall, Richard Orrell, James Isherwood, Samuel Marsh, Solomon Cooper, John Holt Junr and Henry Knowles for not opening and cleansing each of their shares of the Gutters Sluices or Ditch Bottoms adjoining the Highway leading from Walmsley Old Chapel to Eagley Bridge. Amercement £1-19 each.

All the orders of the last Court have been performed.

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors { Samuel Knowles, William Wood } sworn

April 1804. COURT of James Greene Esqre before Roger Raydon Jackson Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Mr Edm^d Haworth Thomas Slater Thomas Haslam Benjamin Mayoh Henry Knowles George Holt	All sworn	James Warbutton James Kershaw John Kay Dimple Giles Fielding William Haworth Ellis Greenhalgh William Green

Presentment

of John Haslam and Thomas Booth for not repairing their Shares of the Foot Path leading from Orrelfold to Goosecote hill and also for not laying proper Platts across the same.

Amercement £1-10 each.

of John Holt for not repairing Ovenfield Lane in a proper manner. Amercement £1-19.

of John Haslam of Bertinshaw for not repairing in a proper manner the Footpath leading from Toppings to Eagley Lane and for not fixing proper Rails on the side of the same and for not lengthening and raising the Platt at the bottom of the same.

Amercement £-19.

of James Ormrod for not repairing Owler Clough Lane and not opening the Ditch bottom and Gutter on the side of the same.

Amercement £1.

of James Crook the Constable of lower End of Turton for not duly warning James Rothwell who was to have been Juryman.

Amercement 2/6. paid.

All the orders of the last Court have been duly performed except against John Crook of Matherfold and John Cocker, and as there appears to be some Doubts who have been the Chief Defaulters we have prevailed upon Mr James Brandwood to make further enquiry and to endeavour to get the Ditch Bottom Sluices and Gutters properly opened and repaired.

Officers

Constables	John Kay James Kershaw	sworn
Moss Lookers	James Marsh William Ward	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Thomas Smith Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as Special Constables except James Kershaw and John Kay.

Affearors	Samuel Knowles John Crook	sworn

11 October 1804. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before William Thomas Heslop Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

M[r] Peter Cort William Haworth John Smith James Isherwood Richard Kay Samuel Knowles William Green	All sworn	James Ramwell Simon Lomax John Butcher James Walsh Isaac Ward Samuel Marsh

All the Orders of the last Court have been duly performed except those against John Holt and John Haslam not complied with,

Recommendation to the Steward not to levy fines formerly imposed, and then ordered to be estreated.

Presentment

of George Warbutton Junr and Peter Crook for not attending as Jurymen.

Amercement 2/6 each.

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors { John Crook, Samuel Hall } sworn

7 April 1805. COURT of James Greene Esqr before William Thomas Heslop Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Samuel Knowles	sworn	Henry Green
Isaac Orrell		James Mayoh
John Haslam		James Warburton
Peter Ormrod		John Kershaw
Thomas Booth		Willm Crankshaw
John Holt		Thomas Crook
Edmund Crossley		

Presentment

of Thomas Holt, Edmund Holt, and Roger Horrocks for suffering their children to pull off Thatch and deface Buildings, to break Windows, to practise eaves dropping and a many such like misdemeanors in the premises of John Thomasson.

Amercement £1 each.

of Robert Mason for not making and maintaining and hanging two Gates in Greenwalls Lane leading to Charters Moss.

Amercement £1-10.

of James Horrocks for not removing a heap of Rubbish laying on the north easterly side of his dwelling house upon the Highway leading to Dimple.

Amercement 10/.

of James Kay of Branfield for not making and maintaining a Fence between his Moss and John Kershaw's Waste and between the said Moss and a Field called Copies.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of William Holt, William Haslam, and Alice Haworth for suffering their children to pull down Fences, to run over the Meadows, and to practise eaves Dropping and a many such like misdemeanors upon the Premises of James Mayoh and others.

Amercement £1 each.

All the orders of the last Court have been duly performed.

Officers

Constables	John Kay James Kershaw	cont[d]
	Samuel Hall James Crook proxy for Christopher Horrocks	sworn
Moss Lookers	James Marsh William Ward	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Simon Lomax Thomas Smith	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors	Samuel Hall John Crook	sworn

9 :tober 805. COURT of James Greene Esqr before William Thomas Heslop deputy of Charles Barett Steward.

Jury

John Nuttall Thomas Kitchen James Knowles George Holt John Mason John Crook Miller	sworn	Richard Kay Giles Marsh Richard Thomasson William Lomax William Ward John Mayoh

Presentment

of Robert Mason and John Horrocks for not making and maintaining two Gates in Greenwalls Lane leading to Charters Moss.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of John Walsh for suffering his Cattle to ramble in the Lanes and for not driving them into their own pasture and in particular a young cow that runs at Children.

Amercement £1.

Note that Samuel Hall has paid 2/6 for not attending as Juryman.

All the orders of the last Court have been performed except against Robert Mason.

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors { Simon Lomax, Robert Brookes } sworn

April 1806. COURT of James Greene Esqr before William Thomas Heslop Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Mr Edm^d Haworth Samuel Marsh John Walsh William Green George Sudren James Holt son Jno John Crook Matherfold	All sworn	James Holt Clerk William Haslam Height side William Haworth John Crook Miller James Knowles Richard Kay

Fine of 2/6 imposed on trespassers on certain Closes called the Barn Field, Cattyhurst, and Cote Field being part of Toppings tenement where there is no Footpath.

Presentment

of Robert Mason, John Horrocks, James Holt, Kenyons; Robert Holt, Jeremiah Marsh, Giles Marsh, William Holt, Margaret Ramwell, Samuel Holt, Robert Brookes, Henry Green, Mr Amos Ogden and Margaret Entwisle for not repairing their respective shares of the Road called the Height side Lane, Three Lows Lane, Old Stewards Lane, Fogg Lane, Overhouses Lane, and Brookes Lane, and for not keeping open the Channels to carry off the Water from the said road particularly on the south side of the Height Lane and Three Lows Lane.

Amercement £1 16 each.

of John Kershaw for not sufficiently opening the Ditch Bottom in some parts of Isherwood Close Lane and for not keeping open his sough or Plat therein for the Passage of his Ditch Water.

Amercement £1.

of Samuel Holt for not repairing and cleansing the Lane leading from the bottom of Three Lows Lane into Certain lands in the occupation of Alice Haworth.

Amercement £1.

of James Isherwood for not repairing his Fence from the top of Little Meadow to a certain place at the bottom of Seven Lands.

Amercement 10/.

of Samuel Hall for not attending as Juryman.

Amercement 2/6. paid.

That all the orders of the last Court have been duly performed.

Officers

Constables { Richard Kay, James Crook for Edmund Crossley } sworn

Moss Lookers	James Marsh William Ward	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Simon Lomax Thomas Smith	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors	Simon Lomax William Wood	sworn

22 October 1806. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before William Thomas Heslop Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

James Kay Buffs James Warburton Tho[s] Smith Isherwoods Robert Helmn Simon Lomax John Kershaw William Haslam	All sworn	Jas: Isherwood Hardmans John Hamer Smiths George Warburton Sen[r] Samuel Haslam George Orrell Isaac Orrell

Presentment

of Edmund Crossley for not laying a Plat upon Cheetham Close at the bottom of Neevils Brow leading into the Marls.

Amercement 15/.

of William Ward for not opening his Ditch Bottoms on each side of the Road at Stones Bank the whole length of his premises.

Amercement 15/

of James Holt for not conveying the water of the old Road beginning at Moss Meadow Gap and extending the whole length of his premises.

Amercement £1.

of William Mayoh for not conveying the Water of the Road and for not turning the Water into its proper course, that is through his Moss commonly called Tit Moss.

Amercement £1.

of Thomas Mayoh for not attending as Juryman.

Amercement 2/6.

of John Haslam for not attending as Juryman.

Amercement 1/. paid.

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors { John Crook, William Wood } sworn

22 April 1807. COURT of James Greene Esqr before Thomas Hamer Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Samuel Knowles John Smith Peter Ormrod C. Fold John Haslam Thomas Booth George Holt	All sworn	Richard Thomasson John Kay Dimple Robert Holt Isaac Ward Peter Crook John Mayoh John Butcher

Presentment

of Edmund Haworth, Thomas Slater, John Sudren, James Horrocks, James Hamer, John Crook, Matherfold; James Ormrod, George Warbutton, John Kay and John Walsh for not repairing their shares of

Stanrows Wall, and for not sinking their shares of the Gutter or Channel in a proper manner.

Amercement 30/- each.

of Jane Bridge for not repairing the Wall and opening the Gutters in the Smithy Field on each side of the said Wall.

Amercement 35/.

of John Hamer for not repairing the Road from New Mill Bridge to the New Watering Trough and also for not opening the Gutter and turning the Water of the said road on the North West side thereof.

Amercement £1 19.

of the said John Hamer for not repairing the Road from the New Watering Trough to Mill Clough Bridge and also for not opening the Ditch Bottoms and conveying the Water of the said Road on each side of the said Road.

Amercement £1 19.

of John Whewell for not opening his Ditch bottom opposite Samuel Marsh's Dwelling House.

Amercement 10/.

of Ann Ward, Mary Helmn, Robert Mason, and John Kay Lower Houses for not repairing their shares of the Road from Greenhalgh's Gate to Flag Field Gate.

Amercement £1 19 each.

of James Kay of Branfield for not hanging a gate at the corner of a Meadow called the Paddock in his driving way to Yearnsdale.

Amercement 25/.

of James Holt of Kenyons for not opening the Water Course in the South side of Height Lane so as to prevent the Water from running across the said Lane into John Kershaw's Ditch bottom.

Amercement £1.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except Thomas Mayoh's Fine is not paid.

Officers

Constables	James Crook for Cousin fold James Kay Junr for Buffs	sworn
Moss Lookers	Peter Crook William Ward	sworn
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw James Knowles	cont^d
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Samuel Knowles	cont^d
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont^d
Bye Law Men	Simon Lomax Thomas Smith	cont^d
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont^d

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors	John Crook William Wood	cont^d

21 October 1807. COURT of James Greene Esqr before Thomas Hamer Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Peter Cort John Sudren John Mason James Rothwell Samuel Marsh Benjamin Mayoh John Welch	All sworn	William Crankshaw Edm^d Holt Robert Mason Robert Helmn Samuel Holt James Ramwell

That all the orders made at the last Court have been duly performed except against John Hamer and James Holt. John Hamer for certain defaults betwixt New Mill Bridge and New Watering Trough, and for certain defaults betwixt the Watering Trough and Mill Clough Bridge. Estreatment of John Hamer in 39/- for each of the fines formerly imposed.

And also James Holt for certain defaults in Height Lane.

Steward recommended not to levy the said Fines if orders performed within a month.

Presentment

of Jeremiah Marsh for not opening his Ditch Bottom from a Plat near Martha's Gap along the Road side towards top of Meadow.

Amercement £1.

of Jeremiah Marsh and Giles Marsh for not keeping open their channel across the Road near the Westerly end thereof in the Height Lanes so as to prevent the water from running into Shore Lane.

Amercement 10/- each.

of John Mayoh for not keeping open his Ditch bottom and Sough near to the Gate opening into the Shore Height, so as to convey the Water, as mentioned in last presentment.

Amercement £1.

of Margaret Entwisle for not repairing her Road betwixt the Village of Turton and two Studs.

Amercement £1 19.

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearors { John Crook, William Wood } sworn

4 May 1808. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before Thomas Hamer Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

Samuel Hall James Knowles Jun[r] Peter Ormrod Wood End Thomas Slater Benjamin Mayoh Isaac Orrell James Kershaw	All sworn	Roger Hamer George Haworth Simon Lomax John Kershaw James Welch Giles Marsh

Presentment

of Edmund Ashworth for an encroachment on the Highway in Topping Lanes both opposite his gardens and Meadow which extends along the Road Side about 73 yards, and that the Fence Wall now stands upon the body of the said road whereby the passage of the water is prevented from going into its old Channel, and the Road especially in the middle part is rendered of less breadth than the Statute requires being in some parts not more than 24 feet and a half wide.

Amercement 39/.

A Fine of two shillings on Trespassers over two Closes called the Marled Earth and Marled Holme being a part of the Tenement in the possession of John Haslam, where there is no foothpath.

of Robert Holt for not making a Scotch in the Gate Stead, or some Convenient place near, in Shore Lane within his own premises.

Amercement 39/.

A Fine of two shillings on Trespassers over two Closes called Dewhurst's Roughs being a part of the Tenement in the possession of James Kershaw, where there is no footpath.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been duly performed.

Officers

Constables	Samuel Knowles for Ramwells & Haydocks James Walsh for Kenyons	sworn

Moss Lookers	Peter Crook William Ward	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	James Knowles John Kershaw	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	Samuel Knowles John Kershaw	cont[d]
House Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Simon Lomax Thomas Smith	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearers	James Kay Buffs Peter Ormrod, Cozen Fold	sworn

26 October 1808. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before Thomas Wilkinson Deputy of Charles Barrett Steward.

Jury

M[r] Edmund Haworth Henry Knowles John Crook son of Rob[t] John Horrocks Cocks Green John Hamer John Crook Matherfold William Green	All sworn	William Crankshaw James Holt Clerk William Ward Thomas Isherwood John Mayoh James Kay

Presentment

of John Smith as Undertaker to repair amend and uphold the Highway from New Lane Head to Scope Hole Lane leading to Bolton.

Amercements

From New Lane Head to Bromiley Cross - -	39/-
From Bromily Cross to Flemin Pit - - -	39/-
From Flemin Pit to Great Hey Gate - - -	39/-
From Great Hey Gate to Little Oak - - -	30/-
From Little Oak to Timberbottom Gate - -	30/-
From Timberbottom Gate to Scope hole Lane - -	39/-

if each of the said lengths be not properly repaired.

of William Holt for laying soft Earth on the East side of Height Lane at his Scotch.

Amercement 20/- if earth be not removed and road repaired.

of James Ramwell for not repairing the Foot path at the Top of Fogg Brow and also for not repairing the Scotch at the Top of Armsgrove.

Amercement 20/.

of Andrew Knowles for not properly repairing a Sough between a Field called Cotefield in the possession of William Green and a Field called the Rough in the possession of John Haslam.

Amercement 30/.

of John Kay for not securing railing or fencing and repairing the Foot path from Green Bridge to the Bottom of Burnt Hey.

Amercement 30/.

of Robert Holt for not making a Scotch in some proper and convenient place near the Gate Stead in Shore Lane within his own premises.

Amercement 39/.

of John Hamer for not repairing the Road from the Higher New-Mill Bridge to the new Watering Trough and also for not opening the Gutters, and for not turning the water of the said Road on the North West side thereof.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said John Hamer for not repairing the Road from the New Watering Trough to Mill Clough Bridge and also for not opening the Ditch bottoms and conveying the water of the said Road on each side of the said Road.

Amercement £1-19.

That all the orders made at the last Court have been performed except against Edmund Ashworth and Robert Holt.

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

Affearers { Simon Lomax
Peter Ormrod, Cozen Fold } sworn

END OF VOLUME I.

VOLUME II.

19 April 1809. COURT of James Greene Esq. before Thomas Hamer Deputy for Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Crook Miller John Nuttall John Sudren Peter Marsh Thomas Wood James Hamer Edmund Horrocks Stones	sworn	James Crook Richard Kay James Warburton James Kay John Kay Clerk Edmund Mason

Presentment

of Ann Haslam for suffering her cattle to stray from her own premises and to pasture upon Charters Moss.

Amercement 39/.

of John Almon for suffering his cattle to stray from his own premises and pasture upon Charters Moss.

Amercement 39/.

of Edmund Crossley for not properly and sufficiently making his fence from the North West Corner of the Little Marled to Gloryholt Gate opening into Torrow Barn Land.

Amercement 39/.

of Edmund Crossley for not properly hanging the Gloryholt Gate and for not properly and sufficiently repairing the Fence along the South side of Gloryholt, Rycroft and Horse Hey.

Amercement 39/.

of John Horrocks for not properly and sufficiently hanging his gates the one opening into Flag Field and the other into Great Chapel Field.

Amercement 20/ for each Gate.

of John Horrocks for suffering his Cattle to stray from his own premises and to go upon the Highway.

Amercement 20/.

of James Rothwell for suffering his cattle to stray from his own premises and to go upon the highway.

Amercement 20/.

of John Welch for suffering his cattle to stray from his own premises and to go upon the highway.

Amercement 20/.

A fine of 2/. on trespassers over fields called Pit upper Hey, Turnip Field, Cote Holme, Cote Brow and the Croft being a part of the Tenement in possession of John Whewell.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over the fields called Long Upper Hey, Long Brow, Little Meadow and Little Croft being a part of the tenement in possession of John Haworth.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over a field called Little Lower Meadow being a part of the Tenement in possession of William Green.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over a field called Watch Corner in possession of Ellen Marsh except in the footh-path across the West Corner.

Officers

Constables	James Holt Thomas Marsh	sworn
Moss Lookers	Peter Crook William Ward	cont^{d}
Wood Lookers	James Knowles John Kershaw	cont^{d}
Fence Lookers	Samuel Knowles John Kershaw	cont^{d}
Houses Lookers	James Lomax John Nuttall	cont^{d}

Bye Law Men	Simon Lomax Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Affearors	Simon Lomax Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold	sworn

3 November 1809. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Smith Samuel Knowles Peter Ormrod Wood End James Knowles James Fielding John Crook Mather Fold John Nuttall	sworn	Isaac Orrell Robert Mason Thomas Entwisle John Horrocks Cross Guns John Kershaw Peter Crook

Presentment

of John Hamer for not repairing the road from the High New Mill Bridge to the new watering trough and for not opening the gutter and for not turning the water of the said road on the North West side.

Amercement 39/.

of John Hamer for not repairing the road from the new watering trough to Mill Clough Bridge and also for not opening the ditch bottoms on each side of the said road and conveying the water off the road.

Amercement 39/.

of Robert Mason, John Kay, Mary Helmn, John Horrocks and Ann Ward for not repairing the Occupation road from Greenhalgh's Gate to Flag Field Gate.

Amercement 39/- each.

of the three following for not appearing as Jurymen

Amercements:—

Peter Cort as Foreman 2/6 paid

Peter Smith & John Kay } as Jurymen 1/- each

All the orders of the last Court have been duly performed.

The Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Affearors { John Butcher, William Haslam } app^{d}

3 May 1810. COURT of James Greene Esq: before Richard Meadowcroft Duxbury Deputy for Mr Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Peter Cort George Holt Isaac Orrell Henry Knowles John Mason Richard Thomasson Peter Haslam	All sworn	William Ward Henry Green Thomas Crook Robert Mayoh James Kay John Crook

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over fields in possession of the following persons, viz.: The higher, middle and lower Heiferlands in the possession of Henry Green, Shorrocks Hill in the possession of James Holt, Higher and Lower Deans and Round Croft in the possession of James Ramwell, Long Croft, Broad Croft and Deans in the possession of William Wood, Tongue Greaves, Springs of Woods, Gossy Brow and Bottoms in the possession of John Hamer.

Presentment

of Robert Mason, John Horrocks, James Holt Kenyons, Robert Holt, Jeremiah Marsh, Giles Marsh, William Holt, Thomas Entwisle &

Samuel Holt for not repairing their respective shares of the road in Height Lane and Three Lows Lane and for not keeping open the Channels to carry of the water from the said roads particularly on the south side of the said Lanes.

Amercement £1-19 each.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over a field called the Marled Earth in the possession of James Kay.

Presentment

of Thomas Slater & Co. for not repairing the fence at the lower side of Cocks green near the Stone Quarry and for not repairing the road adjoining that was broken into when stone was got therefrom.

Amercement £-19.

of Robert Helmn as surveyor of the Highways for not repairing the road from the lower part of Stones Bank to the guide post upon Charters Moss.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Ward for not opening the Ditch Bottom between near the top of Stones Bank and the bottom opposite his own premises.

Amercement £1-19.

of Robert Pilkington for not opening his ditch bottom in a proper manner from the Stile leading to Thomasson Fold to Fieldings Spout and for not removing the earth that is taken out.

Amercement £1.

of James Holt Clerk for not sufficiently opening the ditch bottom on the east side of Barlery Bank in Brookes Lane and for not removing the earth taken out.

Amercement £1.

of Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold for not attending as Juryman.

Amercement 1/-

Jury return Richard Entwisle as tenant of a part of Brookes in the room of Margaret Entwisle removed.

James Ramwell as tenant of a part of Brookes in the room of Margaret Entwisle removed.

Robert Mayoh as tenant of Arms-groves in the room of James Ramwell removed.

Thomas Entwisle as tenant of Haworths in the room of Margaret Ramwell removed.

Prime Walker as tenant of the Printing Works, part of Nichodane and part of Brookes in the room of John Charter deceased.

All presentments of the last Court have been performed except against John Hamer who stands indicted.

Jury return the following officers for the year ensuing

Constables	James Crook for Isaac Orrell Thomas Marsh for John Kershaw	sworn
Moss Lookers	Peter Crook William Ward	cont^{d}
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	cont^{d} app^{d}
Fence Lookers	Samuel Knowles John Kershaw	cont^{d}
House Lookers	John Nuttall Simon Lomax	cont^{d}
Bye Law Men	Simon Lomax Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold	cont^{d}

Impounder { Henry Knowles } cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { Simon Lomax, John Kay, John Kershaw } sworn

3 November 1810. COURT of James Greene, Esq., before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold, William Green, Thomas Wood, John Forshaw, John Welch, Thomas Booth, Benjamin Mayoh, William Crankshaw, James Ramwell, William Haslam, George Haworth, Robert Helm, Henry Greene } All sworn

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over fields in the possession of the following persons viz. :—The Hollin Field in the possession of Thomas Isherwood, The Smalshaw, Inkenshaw, Cloffhouse Fields, Kilnhill, Ridings, Half Acre and Copies in the possession of John Forshaw except where ancient and usual footpaths have formerly been.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over fields in the possession of John Forshaw viz. :—Stanrows, Whittle Hills, Whittle Leach, Fearny Hill, Wormsteads, Great Torra, Little Torra and Close or sheep pasture except where ancient and usual foot paths have formerly been.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over fields belonging to Peter Ormrod of Wood End viz. :—The Boar Stone, Cote Field, The Four Crofts, The Rough Meadow, the Two Mosses, Dodge Low, the Three Meadows, Lower Field, Little Field, except where ancient and usual footpaths have formerly been.

Note

That all the fines laid the last Court for persons going out of the ancient and usual ways and foot paths be continued as set forth.

Presentment

of Thomas Slater & Co. for not repairing the road at the lower side of Cocks Green that was broken up or into when the Stone was got out and for not making good the encroachment then made upon the said Road.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Ormrod for not repairing the wall that was broken down when stone was got out of the Stone Delph on the lower side of Cocks Green.

Amercement £1-19.

Appointment

of James Brandwood, Mr Edmund Haworth, John Nuttall and John Kershaw to wait upon Thomas Slater & Co. and James Ormrod to hear and determine such matters and things as have been or may be disputable concerning the said Delph and Road.

That all the orders of the last Court have been performed except in the case of Thomas Slater & Co.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { Samuel Knowles, Isaac Orrell } sworn

; May 1811 COURT of James Greene Esq. before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Knowles	All sworn	John Mayoh
James Holt (son of Jno)		John Kershaw
Peter Ormrod (Wood End)		James Kay
John Pilkington		Richard Kay
John Crook (Matherfold)		Giles Marsh
Simon Lomax		Roger Hamer
George Orrell		

Note

That all the fines laid at the last two Courts for persons going out of the ancient and usual ways and footpaths be continued.

Also that the fines imposed upon Thomas Slater & Co. and James Ormrod at the last Court be continued.

That James Brandwood, John Nuttall and John Kershaw be continued to view the premises as therein mentioned.

Presentment

of Betty Isherwood for not conveying the water out of Hough Lane and for not opening the ditch bottom, the usual water-course belonging to her presises in the said Lane.

Amercement £1-19.

of Betty Isherwood for not conveying the water off the Highway near Seven Lands and for not opening the ditch bottom adjoining the said highway.

Amercement £1.

of Thomas Slater & Co. for not keeping the ditch bottom running from Rock Meadow to Halliwells Buildings in good and sufficient repair.

Amercement 15/-

of John Brook for not opening the ditch bottom and not conveying the water of the highway from a sough near Little Oak to the Top Bradshaw Brow.

Amercement 10/6.

of Richard Entwisle and James Ramwell for not sufficiently repairing and keeping the water off their several parts of Brookes Lane.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of James Walsh for not widening and keeping in good repair Kenyon Part or Share in Height Lane so as to admit of a 9 inches wheeled cart to pass and repass and for not keeping the water of the said lane.

Amercement £1-19.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over a field called the Marled Earth belonging to James Kay except where ancient and usual foot-paths have formerly been used.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over a field called Haydock Low in the possession of Samuel Knowles except where usual foot-paths have formerly been used.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over Bridge Field in the possession of John Kershaw except where usual foot-paths have formerly been used.

Jury return John Forshaw as tenant of Turton Tower in the room of Samuel Hall removed.

Jury return the following officers for the year ensuing:

Officers

Constables	Giles Marsh Thomas Marsh for Hannah Knowles Ouzel Nest	sworn
Moss Lookers	Peter Crook William Ward	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	Samuel Knowles John Kershaw	cont[d]
House Lookers	John Nuttall Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special cnstables.

Affearors	Thomas Wood Isaac Orrell	All sworn

29 October 1811 COURT of James Greene Esq. before Richard Meadowcroft Duxbury Deputy for Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

George Sudern	All sworn	John Kay
Samuel Kenyon		James Mayoh
James Crook		Richard Entwisle
Thomas Horrocks		Thomas Isherwood
James Kershaw		James Welch
Samuel Knowles		Thomas Marsh

Presentment

of Robert Pilkington and Richard Ratcliff for banking the water in the gutter leading from Dimple to the new School so that the water runs over the road and damages it.

Amercement 15/- each.

of William Rothwell, Thomas Hamer, John Whittaker, Thomas Mayoh and Robert Brookes for throwing water, ashes and other dirt on the highway to the detriment of the public.

Amercement 15/- each.

of William Ward for not opening his ditch bottom the whole length of Stones Bank adjoining his premises.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Horrocks, Ann Ward, Robert Mason, Mary Helmn and John Kay for not repairing the occupation road from Greenhalghs Gate to Flag Field Gate.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of Robert Mason, James Welch, John Kershaw, Peter Mayoh, Robert Holt, Jeremiah Marsh, Giles Marsh, William Holt, Thomas Entwisle, Samuel Holt, Thomas Brookes, Henry Green, Amos Ogden, James Ramwell and Richard Entwisle for not repairing their respective shares of the road leading from the highway on Charters Moss to Chapel Town and for not conveying the water therefrom and for not opening their soughs and ditch bottoms in a sufficient and proper manner.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of John Kay, John Horrocks and James Kay for not repairing the share of Stanrows Wall belonging to Haworth's Tenement and for not opening the ditch bottom in a sufficient and proper manner.

Amercement 10/- each.

Jury request Samuel Knowles, Isaac Orrell and George Sudern to wait upon Messrs. Slater & Co. and Mr. John Haworth of Bolton, Attorney at Law, in order to see how far they can prevail upon them to secure the places on the west side of Cocks Green from being liable to so much danger to travellers and to make their reports thereof at the ensuing court.

Presentment

of Thomas Crook for not attending as Juryman. Amercement 1/- to be paid to the Bailiff of the Court and also 3/- to be paid to Thomas Marsh for the expenses of attending as Juryman in his room.

Affearors { John Forshaw, Roger Hamer } sworn

4 April 1812. COURT of James Greene Esq. before Richard Meadowcroft Duxbury Deputy for Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

John Forshaw	Robert Pilkington
George Holt	James Warburton
Henry Knowles	William Ward
John Mason	Robert Holt
Benjamin Mayoh	John Bentley
Peter Cort	William Haslam
Peter Marsh	

All the Orders of the last Court have been performed except against Robert Mason, James Welch, Peter Mayoh, Robert Holt, Jeremiah Marsh, Giles Marsh, William Holt, Thomas Entwisle, Samuel Holt

and Thomas Brookes for not repairing their respective shares of Height Lane and for not conveying the water out of the said lane leading from Charters Moss to Chapel Town.

Amercement £1-19 each. Which if not performed within the time will be recommended to Mr Charles Barrett to be levied.

Presentment

of Robert Helmn Surveyor of the Highways for not breaking and gathering the stones on the road in Stones Bank.

Amercement £1-19.

of Henry Knowles for suffering his hens and poultry to scratch, pick up and destroy the seed in the new sown field called Lower Dimple in the possession of Richard Kay.

Amercement £1.

Officers

Constables	Robert Pilkington for James Green Yates	sworn
	John Smith Great Oak	appointed
Constables	Giles Marsh Thomas Marsh	contd
Moss Lookers	Peter Crook William Ward	contd
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	contd
Fence Lookers	Samuel Knowles John Kershaw	contd
House Lookers	John Nuttall Simon Lomax	contd
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold Simon Lomax	contd

Impounder Henry Knowles cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { Roger Hamer, William Wood } cont[d]

4 vember 1812. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before Richard Meadowcroft Whitlow Deputy for Charles Barett Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Knowles Peter Haslam James Ormrod John Horrocks Rock Isaac Orrell Robert Pilkington Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold	All sworn	Richard Thomasson Giles Marsh Edmund Mason John Mayoh William Horrocks Thomas Crook

Jury recommend M[r] Barrett to levy the sum of £1-19 on William Holt if the road in Height Lane is not properly and sufficiently repaired in one week from the date hereof.

Also upon Robert Helmn Surveyor of the Highways the sum of £1 if the road in Stones Bank is not repaired in one week from the date hereof.

A fine of 2/- on trespassers over Pit Field in the possession of John Welch.

Presentment

of Peter Marsh, Thomas Slater, Betty Sudren, James Horrocks, James Hamer, John Crook Mather Fold, James Green, George Warburton, John Kay, John Welch, Patty Nuttall and John Dewhurst for not repairing their shares of Stanrows Wall and for not sinking the gutter or channel in a proper and sufficient manner.

Amercement 30/- each.

of Ralph Haworth, Thomas Mullin, William Holt, James Warburton, Giles Marsh and Jeremy Marsh, Robert Holt and James Welch for not repairing their shares of the Ring Fence on Turton Heights and for not having proper and sufficient gates.

Amercement £1-19 each.

Jury find that a part of the road heretofore belonging Cozen Fold Tenement, that is to say, from the sough at Green's Pit to a stoop put in the earth near the bottom of Cote Field is now by agreement laid to be maintained and repaired by the tenants of Lower Houses Tenement.

That the Highway between Stanrows Gate and Hardman's Tenement is in sundry places much out of repair and therefore fine John Forshaw as Surveyor of the Highways for not properly and sufficiently repairing same.

Amercement £1-19.

Presentment

of such person or persons who may hereafter be summoned upon the Jury in case of none [*sic*]-attendance in the sum of 1/- and the expenses of a Deputy appointed in his stead.

Jury return James Ormrod as tenant of Lower Houses in the room of William Green deceased.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { Roger Hamer, George Haworth } sworn

4 May 1813 COURT of James Greene Esq. before Richard Meadowcroft Whitlow Deputy for Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Peter Ormrod Wood End Peter Smith John Welch John Whewell Thomas Booth Thomas Wood John Hamer	All sworn	Robert Holt Ralph Haworth Thomas Isherwood William Knowles Junr Richard Kay John Kay

Presentment

of John Horrocks, Ann Ward, Robert Mason, Mary Helmn and John Kay for not repairing their shares of the Occupation road leading from Greenhalgh's Gate to Flag Field Gate.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of Thomas Crook and Peter Crook for not repairing their shares of the Occupation Road leading from Rushton's Hillock Gate to a sough or culvert belonging to Peter Crook.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of Peter Crook for not repairing the said culvert and for not hanging a gate leading from Flag Field to Rushton's Gate.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Hamer for not repairing the road and for not opening the gutters from Higher New Mill Bridge to the new watering trough, and for not repairing the road and for not opening the gutters from the new watering trough to Mill Field Gap and the same from Mill Field Gap to Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19 in each case.

of James Holt Junr for not repairing the road from under Cross Pit to Hill Gate.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Holt Senr George Holt and James Holt Junr for not repairing the Occupation road leading to Holts and Wood End and also for not pruning the hedges so that a load of hay, corn or straw may pass without injury.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of John Welch, John Horrocks, Robert Pilkington and John Crook for suffering their cattle to stray out of their own fields to demolish their neighbours fences and to do other damages.

Amercement £1-19 each.

of Richard Kay for not repairing his fence the whole length of the Revd Thomas Jones' garden.

Amercement £1.

of each and every person who shall in future go for water without leave from the Revd Thomas Jones to a pump on his premises and also upon each and every person who shall in any wise misuse or abuse the said pump or anything belonging thereto.

Amercement 2/-

of James Holt for not opening his ditch bottom in the Rough Field adjoining a meadow in his possession.

Amercement £1-19.

Jury continue the fine against Ralph Haworth, Thomas Mullin, William Holt, James Warburton, Giles Marsh, Jeremy Marsh, Robert Holt and James Welch for not repairing their shares of the Ring fence on Turton Heights.

Jury order that when the names of the sub-tenants are called upon in Court and they do not appear, the principal tenants must pay their Essoine money as was usual.

Amercement of such person or persons who shall be called upon as Juryman or Jurymen 1/- each, if they do not attend at the hour appointed.

Constables	Robert Pilkington John Smith	cont^d
Moss Lookers	William Ward Peter Crook	cont^d
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	cont^d
Fence Lookers	Samuel Knowles John Kershaw	cont^d
House Lookers	John Kay Dimple Simon Lomax	sworn cont^d
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Cozen Fold Simon Lomax	cont^d

Impounder Henry Knowles cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { George Haworth, Simon Lomax } cont[d] sworn

3 November 1813. COURT of James Greene Esq[r] before Richard Meadowcroft Whitlow Deputy for Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Peter Cort Henry Knowles Thomas Horrocks James Hamer George Holt John Crook son of Rob[t] James Ormrod	All sworn	John Marsh Henry Green Robert Mayoh Robert Helmn James Kay Roger Hamer

Presentment

of Margaret Ormrod and Ellen Marsh for not repairing and making a sufficient sough the whole length of their respective premises and adjoining the highway leading from Toppings to Bolton so as to prevent the water from overflowing the highway and back flooding Benjamin Livesey's cellar or loom shop.

Amercement £1-19 each.

Fines of £1-19 each continued against John Horrocks, Ann Ward, Robert Mason, Mary Helmn and John Kay for not repairing the Occupation Road leading from Greenhalgh's Gate to Flag Field Gate. If not completed in one Month, after M[r] James Brandwood has divided the said road into allotments to belong to each of their respective tenements, the said fines must be paid immediately on demand.

Fine of £1 to be continued against Richard Kay for not repairing his fence the whole length of the Rev[d] Thomas Jones's garden.

Fines of £1-19 each to be continued against Ralph Haworth, Thomas Mullin, William Holt and James Welch for not repairing their shares of the ring fence on Turton Heights.

Fines of £1-19 each to be continued which were laid upon Thomas and Peter Crook for not repairing the occupation road leading from Rushton's Hillock Gate to a culvert belonging to Peter Crook.

Fine of £1-19 to be continued against Peter Crook for not hanging a gate leading from Flag Field Gate to Rushton's Gate.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { Simon Lomax, George Haworth } cont[d]

4 May 1814. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Greene, spinster and George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Knowles, Ramwells
Benjamin Mayoh
John Pilkington
Isaac Orrell
Peter Marsh
John Forshaw
Robert Holt
} sworn {
John Kay
Robert Pilkington
Thomas Isherwood
William Haslam
Simon Lomax
Thomas Marsh

Jury order that the Affearors, for the time being, are to have notice from the person or persons that wishes the fine or fines to be laid to view the same if not completed in the time limited or mentioned and the Affearers to give notice to the Bailiff and the Bailiff to give notice to the Steward in case of neglect or non-performance.

Presentment

of Roger Hamer for not repairing the road and for not opening the gutters on each side of the road from New Mill Bridge to the stile leading to Chapel Town. And also for not doing the same on each side of the road from the new stile to Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19 in each case.

of James Holt, son of the late John Holt, for not repairing the road from Hill Yate to the Under Cross Pit and for not opening the gutters on each side of the said road.

Amercement £1-19.

Officers

Constables	Peter Marsh James Mason	sworn at Bolton May 9th
Moss Lookers	William Ward Peter Crook	contd
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	contd
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	contd
House Lookers	John Kay Simon Lomax	contd
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Cozen Fold Simon Lomax	contd
Impounder	Henry Knowles	contd

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	John Smith George Haworth	sworn

3 November 1814. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Greene, spinster and George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor, before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Kershaw Thomas Wood Peter Smith Peter Haslam George Sudern Edmund Horrocks John Whewell	All sworn	William Crankshaw Ralph Haworth Thomas Entwisle John Mayoh James Welch James Kershaw

Presentment

of James Ramwell for not opening and cleansing the channel from his own back door to the barn end adjoining.

Amercement 10/-

of George Warburton Surveyor of the Highways or his deputy for not making a sufficient sough across the highway that will contain the water that comes from Stanrows or elsewhere.

Amercement £1-19.

Also for not making a sufficient sough that will contain the water that ought to run through the said sough nearly opposite James Kershaw's dwelling house.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Horrocks for not repairing his share of the road called Greenwall's Lane adjoining Isherwood's Close.

Amercement 20/-

of John Horrocks for not conveying the water across the road at a gate at the South East corner of a meadow called Isherwood's Close.

Amercement 10/-

of Robert Mason for not repairing his share of Greenwall's Lane.

Amercement 20/-

of James Helm for not repairing the road from Toppings to the Lord's Stile.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Ormrod for not repairing the road from the Lord's Stile to the New Lane Head.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said James Ormrod for not repairing the road from the New Lane Head to Bromiley Cross.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said James Ormrod for not repairing the road from Bromiley Cross to the end of the pavement at John Ashworth's Rough.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said James Ormrod for not repairing the Turnpike Road leading from Bolton to Blackburn from near Dunscar Bridge to the watering trough near Matherfold.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said James Ormrod for not repairing the Turnpike Road leading from Bolton to Blackburn from the watering trough near Matherfold to the third milestone.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Ormrod for not repairing the road from Flemming Pit to Great Hey Gate.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said Peter Ormrod for not repairing the road from Great Hey Gate to Little Oak.

Amercement £1-19.

of Roger Hamer for not repairing the road and for not opening the gutters on each side of the said road from New Mill Bridge to the new watering trough.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said Roger Hamer for not repairing the road and for not opening the gutters on each side of the road from the new watering trough to the Three Lane Ends.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said Roger Hamer for not repairing the road and gutters from the Three Lane Ends to Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19.

Jury lay a fine of 2/6 on trespassers over three closes called the Clan Cow Meadow, the Barn Meadow and the Wall Meadow in possession of George Haworth of Batterage.

John Kay sworn constable in the room of James Mason for ensuing half year.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearors { Simon Lomax, James Crook } sworn

19 April 1815. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq. and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Greene Spinster and George Matthew Hoare Esq. and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Jasper Hulley Deputy of Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Simon Lomax
George Haworth
John Butcher
Robert Helmn
Richard Kay
William Haslam
Thomas Marsh
} sworn {
James Crook, Cockscar
James Kershaw
Henry Knowles
John Sudren
Thomas Booth
James Ormrod

Presentment

of trespassers on a ditch belonging to Parr's tenement lately and newly repaired by Jennet and Giles Marsh beginning at the Driving Gate and ending at William Holt's Fields End across Parr Heights.

Amercement 2/-

of Robert Holt for suffering his cattle to stray upon Parr Heights.

Amercement 1/-

of Ralph Haworth for suffering his cattle to stray on Parr Heights.

Amercement 1/-

William Warburton, Surveyor of the Highways, fined for not repairing the road from Hardmans to Dunscar Gate, also from Dunscar Gate to John Horrock's house and from John Horrock's house to the Cocks Green where the road branches off to Turton Workhouse.

Amercement £1-19-6 in each case.

Thomas Brookes fined for not repairing the road leading from Nabb Watering Pool to a gate at the top of the Acre and Half.

Amercement £1-19.

Samuel Holt for not repairing the road leading from the top of Acre and Half to his whole length, but particularly over against the higher hill.

Amercement £1-19.

Thomas Entwisle for not repairing the road leading from Samuel Holt's share to his whole length.

Amercement £1-19.

William Holt for not repairing the road from Thomas Entwisle's share to the whole of his length.

Amercement £1-19.

Jennet and Giles Marsh for not repairing the road from William Holt's share to the whole of their length.

Amercement £1-19.

Robert Holt for not repairing the road from Jennet and Giles Marsh's share to the whole length of his share.

Amercement £1-19.

James Walsh for not repairing the road leading from Robert Holt's share to his length.

Amercement £1-19.

John Horrocks for not conveying the water across the road at a gate at the North East corner of a meadow called Isherwood's Close.

Amercement 10/-

William Holt for not repairing the fence between Castleman's Heights and his own.

Amercement £1-19-6.

Jury order that the fine laid upon each person at the last Court and not completed within the time limited and the fine not paid on or before the 3rd May, to be levied upon their goods and chattels.

Also that Mr Barrett has ordered the Bailiff to inform the tenants in Turton that each in future making default and not performing what they may be fined for within the time limited, he is determined to levy the fine upon his goods and chattels.

Officers

Constables	John Kay for Lower Houses James Crook for Timberbottom	sworn
Moss Lookers	William Ward Peter Crook	contd
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	contd
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	contd
House Lookers	John Kay Simon Lomax	contd
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Simon Lomax	contd
Impounder	Henry Knowles	contd

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	John Kay Peter Marsh	sworn

4 ovember 1815. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Greene, Spinster, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Forshaw Peter Cort John Knowles, Ramwell's John Haworth Volunteer William Haslam William Crankshaw George Warburton Junr	All sworn	Roger Hamer James Ramwell Henry Green John Lomax John Marsh, Parrs Thomas Crook

Presentment

of every person who shall in future suffer his or her cattle to trespass upon Charters Moss.

Amercement 1/-

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	John Kay Ralph Haworth	cont^d sworn

4 May 1816. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Richard Wilkins Esqr, Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Peter Haslam Peter Ormrod Thomas Wood John Forshaw John Walsh James Hamer Benjamin Mayoh	All sworn	John Kay, Isherwoods James Kay, Buffs Isaac Ward James Walsh William Haslam William Ward

Presentment

of Mary Mason, widow of Robert Mason, for not mending the road over Charters Moss leading from the turnpike road between Bolton and Blackburn to the first Mere Stone dividing that portion of the said road to be repaired by the said Mary Mason from that portion to be repaired by Ann Ward.

Amercement 20/-

of Ann Ward for not mending the said road over Charters Moss between the Mere Stone dividing the portions of the said Mary Mason and Ann Ward to the second Mere Stone dividing the portions to be repaired by the said Ann Ward and Mary Helmn.

Amercement £1-19.

of Mary Helmn for not mending her portion of the road between the second and third Mere Stone which divides her portion from that of John Kay.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Kay for not mending his portion of the road between the third and fourth Mere Stone.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Horrocks for not sufficiently and properly hanging a gate opening into a lane adjoining Isherwood's Close.

Amercement £1-19.

of Robert Mayoh for not maintaining the rampart or scotch at the top of Army Groves Brow but suffering the water to run down the said brow to the great injury of the road.

Amercement £1.

John Knowles of Ousle Nest fined 6/- for not attending as juryman at the last Court, Novr 4th 1815.

John Mason fined 5/- for not attending as juryman at the last Court, 4 Nov: 1815.

Jury lay a fine of 2/ on trespassers over fields in possession of Roger Hamer called:— Tongue Greaves, Springs of Wood, Gossy Brow, Bottoms and Cote Field, except where usual foot-paths have been.

All fines not paid within the time limited will be recommended to Mr Charles Barrett.

Officers

Constables	Billy Ward Peter Haslam Proxy for John Ashworth	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Peter Crook	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	cont[d]
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	John Kershaw James Crook	sworn

5 ovember 1816. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Richard Wilkins Esq[r] and Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Kershaw John Kay Giles Marsh Richard Kay Richard Thomasson James Barlow John Sudren	All sworn	John Crook, Matherfold James Holt, son of John Isaac Orrell Thomas Booth Thomas Horrocks Robert Mayoh

Presentment

of Ann Warburton for not repairing a foot road leading from Warbutton's to Lower Houses.

Amercement 20/-

of James Crook, Surveyor of the Highways for not repairing a sough across and under the highway from Blackburn to Bury and situated on a Farm called Toppings and also for a sough made across the said highway at a place called the Lord's Stile and also for another dividing the higher and lower end of Turton.

Amercement 20/- in each case.

of Thomas Orrell for not repairing a fence dividing a field in his occupation called the Hey from a field in the occupation of Messrs Sudrens called the Long Meadow.

Amercement £1-10-11.

of the said Thomas Orrell for suffering his cattle to stray out of his own fields and premises, to demolish and injure his neighbours fences and do other damages.

Amercement 20/-

of Robert Holt for not repairing his fence commencing from Rostron's Close Nook to a stone gap in the said fence and from thence to Back Lane Gate.

Amercement £1-10-11 for each part.

of Robert Helmn for not repairing and opening his ditch bottom commencing from the Guide Post on Charters Moss and extending two roods below a gap leading into a field called the Higher Roundhill in the possession of the said Robert Helmn.

Amercement 10/-

of Billy Ward for not opening his ditch bottom the whole length of the field called The Acre in his possession.

Amercement 15/-

of the said Billy Ward for not opening his ditch bottom a certain length from the top of Stones Bank to Stones Bank Plat.

Amercement 15/-

of John Horrocks, James Walsh and Robert Holt for not repairing their respective portions of the road leading from Greenwalls Gate to Chapel Town.

Amercement 39/- each.

of James Green, James Hamer and James Horrocks for not opening their respective portions of the ditch bottom running along the side of Stanrows Wall.

Amercement 10/-

of William Haslam for not repairing a foot road leading from Warburton's Stile to the top of a meadow in his possession which the said road goes through.

Amercement 39/-

of Edward Bury for non-attendance at Easter Court as juryman.

Amercement 5/- being the expenses of William Haslam his deputy and 1/- for the Jury.

Jury continue fine of £1 amerced at the last Court upon Mary Mason, and those of £1-19 each upon Ann Ward, Mary Helmn and John Kay for not repairing their respective portions of the road over Charters Moss, which if not paid before twenty fifth November will be levied upon each of their Goods and Chattels.

If all, or any of the amercements are not performed within the time limited Mr Charles Barrett is directed to levy the said fine or fines upon the Goods and Chattels of each person and also that notices shall be given of the Default made to Mr Barrett and that notices of the said fines be immediately given to each person fined.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers { John Forshaw
George Haworth } sworn

3 May 1817. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Watkins [*sic*] Widow, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor, before Joseph Fletcher Deputy of Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

John Forshaw for Peter Cort John Knowles Senr for John Knowles Ramwells John Whewell James Ormrod Thomas Smith Richard Pilkington John Nuttall	All sworn	John Marsh Thomas Crook Peter Crook John Mayoh Samuel Holt Roger Hamer

Presentment

of James Horrocks for not filling up the Stone Quarry on the line of a certain Occupation road leading from Pillings to Cocksgreen.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Smith of Timberbottom for not repairing the high road from the stile leading to Timberbottom to the watering trough at Bradshaw Brow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of the said Thomas Smith for not repairing the road from the said watering trough to the end of the pavement near Little Oak.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Ormrod of Cousin Fold for not repairing the high road from Little Oak to Great Hey Gate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of the said Peter Ormrod for not repairing the high road from the said Great Hey Gate to Flemin Pit. Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not repairing the road from Cousin Fold Gate to William Green's Gate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt (son of John) for not repairing the road at the top of Turton from the Stone Delf on the roadside above Horrobin Mill to John Knowles' length of the said road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Roger Hamer for not repairing the road commencing at the Chapel Gates to the turn of the road leading to Edgworth.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of the said Roger Hamer for not repairing the road from Mill Clough Bridge to the turn of the road leading to Edgworth.

Also for not repairing the road from the said turn to the watering trough.

Also for not repairing the road from the watering trough to the end of the pavement at Turton Mill Bridge.

Also for not repairing the road from the end of the pavement to Turton Mill on the Edgworth side.

Amercement £1-19-11 in each of the 4 cases.

of John Fisher for having drank above one glass with the jurymen and going away without paying 1/- according to the rule of the Court or anything towards the same.

Amercement 5/- Unless the sum of 1/- be paid to John Forshaw, Foreman of the Jury.

Officers

Constables	Peter Haslam Peter Crook	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Peter Crook	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,

Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	cont[d]
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Simon Lomax	cont[d]
Impounder	Henry Knowles	,,

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers George Haworth James Crook

4 November 1817. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Charlotte Alice Wilkins Widow, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Forshaw for George Slater
Roger Hamer for Samuel Marsh
James Ormrod
Peter Ormrod
William Holt son of George
James Hamer

sworn

John Kay, Isherwoods
Richard Kay
James Walsh
James Mason, son of Robert
Thomas Entwisle
Henry Green
George Orrell

Presentment

of William Haslam for not opening his gutter in Cheetham's Close adjoining the Heights, 2 feet wide, 1 foot deep, and 1 foot from the wall from Warburton's fence to the gate going upon the Heights, and for not repairing his fence in a sufficient manner.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

Also for not keeping his fence in sufficient repair commencing from Thomas Isherwood's fence lying up to Inkenshaw in John Forshaw's possession and ending at a stile going up to Cheetham's close.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

Also for not repairing his fence from the stile to a gate going upon the Heights.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Ann Warburton for not repairing in a sufficient manner her fence beginning at Richard Thomasson's Hills and ending at William Haslam's fence.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of William Entwisle for not repairing his fence commencing from the Height Field in the occupation of William Haslam and ending about halfway between the said Height Field and Ralph Haworth's fence.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Ralph Haworth for not repairing the other half of the fence commencing from William Entwisle's fence and ending at Widow Warburton's Height.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of John Kershaw for not opening his ditch bottoms on both sides of the Blackburn and Bolton Turnpike road commencing at the Turnpike bar and ending at a gate entering into a field in his possession.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Ann Haslam for not opening her ditch bottom on the west side of the Turnpike Road leading from Bolton to Blackburn commencing at the beginning of her fence and extending the whole length of her land.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of John Isherwood of Stones for not opening his gutter at the bottom of the wall fence, 2 feet wide and 1 foot deep, the whole length of the Moorfield and adjoining the old Blackburn road.

Amercement 10/-

of John Crook of Matherfold for not opening his gutter at the bottom of the wall fence the whole length of the Moorfield 2 feet wide and 1 foot deep.

Amercement 10/-

of Amos Crook for not opening his gutter at the bottom of the wall fence at the top of Cocksgreen the whole length of his land, 2 feet wide and 1 foot deep.

Amercement £1.

of Thomas Booth for not opening his ditch bottoms on both sides of the old Blackburn road from Hardmans towards Dunscar Gate, 2 feet [*sic*] and 1 foot deep.

Amercement £1-10.

of George Orrell for not opening his ditch bottom the whole extent of his land near Dunscar Gate, 2 feet wide and 1 foot deep.

Amercement £1.

of Billy Ward for not opening his ditch bottoms the whole extent of his land on both sides of the road leading to Longworth at Stones Bank.

Amercement £1-19.

of Joseph Helmn for not repairing his fence from Dimple Factory to the Chapel Yard.

Amercement £1-19.

If all or any of the presentments before mentioned are not performed within the times limited, Mr Charles Barrett is to be directed to levy the fines upon the Goods and Chattels of every person.

Every person presenting fines in future to the Jurors shall present the same in writing, stating the person's name, extent of land, where it commences and ends, the nature of the offence and the amount of the fine represented.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers { James Crook, Benjamin Mayoh } sworn

5 May 1818. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins, widow, George Matthew Hoare, Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

William Crankshaw David Parkinson James Ramwell Thomas Isherwood John Kershaw Thomas Marsh James Kay, Buffs	All sworn	George Warburton Junr Edmund Horrocks son of James Isaac Orrell Peter Haslam James Holt son of Jno Peter Cort

Presentment

of Ann Haslam for not properly repairing a fence belonging to her and leading from her house along the side of the old road up to and ending at Knowles' Lane End.

Amercement £1-19-11, which if not paid within 21 days will be levied upon her Goods and Chattels.

of Richard Thomasson for not sufficiently opening his ditch bottom commencing from old Chapel Brook and ending at Brownhill Gate.

Amercement 20/- which if not paid will be levied on Goods and Chattels.

The Court order that if the Affearers appointed at this and subsequent Courts neglect or fail to inspect the premises or subject matter contained in any presentment to this Court or at any future Court day longer then [*sic*] the day after the time to be performed in, then the Affearers shall be subject to a fine of 2/6 each for every such neglect, or offence, which fine if not paid to be levied upon their Goods and Chattels.

Officers

Constables	Peter Crook Peter Haslam	cont[d]
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Peter Crook	,,
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay Isherwoods Simon Lomax	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Simon Lomax	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	sworn

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	James Crook James Kay	sworn
Constables	Thomas Booth Thomas Bentley	sworn at Bolton May 11th 1818

5 November 1818. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins widow, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster (the said Anna Sophia Greene having attained the age of 21 years) Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward,

Jurors

Thomas Wood Foreman George Orrell John Ormrod John Smith Thomas Booth for John Crook Matherfold John Knowles John Mason	All sworn	Giles Marsh Billy Ward Thomas Crook Thomas Bentley Peter Mayoh William Haslam

Presentment

of Robert Mayoh for not sufficiently repairing his part of the road across Charters Moss commencing at the Bolton and Blackburn Turnpike Road and ending at the Mere-Stone adjoining Stones Bank Farm. part of which is in very bad repair.

Amercement 39/11.

of William Entwisle, John Marsh, Giles Marsh, Robert Holt and James Walsh for not repairing their respective parts of the road commencing at the Height Side Gate belonging to Thomas Entwisle and ending at the gate opening into Isherwood's Close Lane.

Amercement 39/11 each.

of Mary Helm for not making and maintaining a proper gate opening from Charters Moss into her field adjoining the Moss and maintaining a proper gate in her turn with the Moss Side opening into Moss Side Lane.

Amercement 39/11.

of Ellen Marsh for raising her road leading into her barn fold so high as to cover and obstruct the passage of the water on the adjoining highway to the great injury of the said road, and also for not removing a quantity of rubbish in the said highway opposite her garden.

Amercement 39/11.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers { John Forshaw, James Kay } sworn

4 May 1819. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins, widow, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, and Anna Spophia Greene Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor, before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Peter Haslam, Foreman Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold Thomas Smith John Walsh for Ja^s Ormrod John Foreshaw John Nuttall John Whewell	All sworn	John Marsh Peter Crook Samuel Holt Richard Kay William Horrocks Tarkintons James Kay, Nabb

Presentment

of Betty Holt, widow of the late George Holt, James Holt, Senior and James Holt Junior for not properly repairing their respective portions of the old Occupation Road leading from Holts to Wood End.

Amercement 39/11 each.

of James Holt Junior for not repairing the road commencing from the top of Hill Field in his occupation and ending at the Stone Quarry.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Orrell, James Mayoh, and Richard Mason for throwing stones &c. into the ditch bottom in the Higher Bent in the occupation of Thomas Booth of Hardmans.

Amercement 2/- each in case they are found committing the same offence.

Officers

Constables	James Kay for John Crook of Matherfold Thomas Crook	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Peter Crook	cont^d

Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	con.d
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods Simon Lomax	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold Simon Lomax	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	..

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	John Knowles, Ouzle Nest Thomas Bentley	sworn

3 November 1819 COURT of Edward Frere Esq.r and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq.r and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins, widow, George Matthew Hoare Esq.r and Angelina Frances his wife, and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor, before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Kershaw, Foreman William Crankshaw James Ramwell Samuel Orrell James Hamer William Holt William Haslam for Jn.o Smith	All sworn	John Kay, Isherwoods Benjamin Mayoh James Walsh Thomas Entwisle William Entwisle Ralph Haworth

Jury find that the foot-way in William Haslam's Common leading from Height Fields to Warburton's Height and parallel with a fence dividing William Haslam's Common from a Common belonging to Ralph Haworth and William Entwisle is in bad repair in consequence of the adjoining ditch bottom belonging to Mess.rs Haworth and Entwisle not being properly opened and repaired.

Presentment of the said Ralph Haworth and William Entwisle for not sufficiently opening and repairing their portions of the same.

Amercement £1 each.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers { George Haworth, James Kay, Nabb } sworn

4 May 1820. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza the wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins, widow, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Francis his wife, and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Wood, Foreman
Peter Ormrod
John Smith
John Crook, Matherfold
Billy Ward
Thomas Crook
John Kay, Isherwoods
} sworn {
James Kay for Thos Slater
John Mason
John Knowles, Ramwells
Giles Marsh
Benjamin Mayoh
John Kershaw

Presentment

of John Knowles, Thomas Slater, George Slater, James Horrocks, James Hamer, John Crook, Matherfold, Amos Crook, George Warburton, John Kay, John Welsh, James Kay, John Horrocks, John Nuttall and Joseph Helme for not repairing their shares of Stanrows Wall.

Amercement 30/- each.

of Thomas Booth for not opening the ditch bottom and for not repairing the fence at the bottom of a field in the occupation of Samuel Orrell called Little Seinloons or Seven Lands adjoining a highway leading from Cocksgreen to Hardman's.

Amercement 25/-

of James Holt Junr of Top of Turton for not repairing a road from Undercross Pit Fields in the occupation of John Knowles to the Stone in a field occupied by Widow Holt.

Amercement 39/11.

of Ann Warburton for not repairing a foot root [*sic*] over Turton Height commencing on the South Westerly extremity of William Haslam's Height and ending at the back of the said Ann Warburton's house.

Amercement 10/-

Jury lay a fine of 1/- a head upon all cattle found trespassing on Charters Moss. Also one of 2/6 upon all persons trespassing out of the usual and regular footpaths across all fields and enclosures and breaking down fences within the Manor of Turton.

Officers		
Constables	James Kay for Amos Crook Peter Crook	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Robert Helme	cont^d sworn
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	cont^d
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods Simon Lomax	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Cousin Fold Simon Lomax	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	,,

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	George Haworth Peter Haslam	sworn

4 November 1820.

COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins, widow, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Peter Haslam Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold Oliver Ormrod, Lower Houses Thomas Smith John Forshaw Isaac Orrell Henry Rostron	sworn	Thomas Marsh Samuel Holt William Haslam William Horrocks John Butcher Peter Cort

Presentment

of John Horrocks for not opening the ditch bottom and for not taking the rubbish from off the road-side from the new school to the Smithy near old Chapel.

Amercement £1-19.

Also for not opening the ditch bottom from old Chapel Gate to John Crooks meadow.

Amercement 10/-

of John Crook for not opening his ditch bottoms on both sides of the road where wanted.

Amercement 10/-

of George Warburton for not opening the ditch bottom from his house to Dewhurst's Gate.

Amercement £1-19.

of Benjamin Mayoh for not opening the ditch bottom from John Pilkington's gate to Margaret Mayoh's meadow.

Amercement 15/-

of Margaret Mayoh for not opening her ditch bottom the whole length of her meadow.

Amercement 15/-

of Robert Mayoh for allowing his cattle to stray and trespass upon the lands in the occupation of James Kay and Jenett Marsh.

Amercement 1/- a head for all cattle found straying hereafter.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers { John Knowles, Samuel Wood } sworn

4 May 1821. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Charlotte Alice Wilkins, widow, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Booth, Foreman
John Knowles, Toppings
George Orrell
George Hindle for Jonathan Hardman, Little Oak
George Warburton
Robert Mayoh
William Haslam for James Green Yates's

} sworn {

John Knowles Ouzle Nest
Samuel Thornton Cock Green
John Whewell
Peter Mayoh
Ralph Haworth Castleman's
John Forshaw for Giles Ashworth

Presentment

of Peter Lee for not cleansing his ditch bottom lying between the turnpike road and his meadow near Scoper Lane which causes the ditch bottom to be full of water which overflows the road and the foot way.

Amercement £1-19.

of Oliver Ormrod who sometime ago threw down stones upon the side of the highway and into the ditch bottom lying between the highway and the Little Lever Lands and Great Lever Lands which, in consequence of the stones stopping the water, has caused the ditch bottom

to be wrecked up and which ought to be kept open and repaired by Samuel Orrell, the occupier of the fields.

Amercement of Oliver Ormrod and Samuel Orrell in £1.

of Thomas Booth for not opening the ditch bottoms on both sides of the highway (lying between Hardman's and the Buildings) so far as pertaineth to him or is of right accustomed.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Knowles of Toppings for not opening his ditch bottom between the Highway and the Great Stoney Rows.

Amercement 15/-

of the Rev^d Mr Gell, Mrs Sudren and George Warburton for not drawing back a trough on the east side of Benjamin Mayoh's field so as to prevent the water from running over the road and for not opening the sough.

Amercement 10/- each.

of William Wood for not repairing the road from the Chapel Gates to Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Forshaw for not repairing the road from Mill Clough Bridge to or near the Smithy in Horrobin Mill Brow.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Cort & Co. for not repairing the road from the said Smithy to the part of the road opposite the top of Horrobin Meadow.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Holt and James Holt Senior for not repairing the road from that part opposite the top of Horrobin Meadow to the end of Holt's Lane.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Holt for not repairing the road from the end of Holts Lane to that part opposite the field called The Bent.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Ormrod for not repairing the road from the bottom of a meadow belonging to Thomas Wood to a place called The Plat.

Amercement £1-19.

of Oliver Ormrod for not repairing the road from The Plat to that part opposite a pit in the corner of a field of Peter Haslam's.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Haslam for not repairing the road from opposite the pit in his field to Bromiley Cross.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Crankshaw for not repairing the road leading towards Edgworth, from the road leading from Bolton to Chapel Town, that is, from the Road to the watering trough.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said William Crankshaw for not repairing from the said watering trough to Turton Mill Bridge.

of James Kay for not repairing the road from the Nabb Gate to the further end of Scour Ridings.

Amercement £1-19.

of George Haworth for not repairing the road from the further end of Scour Ridings to the further end of the field called The Hill.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Butcher for not repairing the road from the further end of the field called The Hill co-extensive with his fields.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Horrocks for not repairing from the end of John Butcher's part to Holden Bridge.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said William Horrocks for not repairing the foot-bridge leading into Entwisle from Turton over the brook near the farm called Old Mans.

Amercement £1-19.

Officers

Constables	Jonathan Hardman Little Oak John Marsh Greens	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Robert Helme	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay Isherwoods James Kay Nabb	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold James Kay	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	James Kay James Crook	sworn

3 November 1821

COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Edward Seymour Esq[r] and Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, Lord and Ladies of the Manor, before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Knowles Foreman George Hindle Isaac Orrell Jun[r] William Holt, son of Ja[s] Thomas Horrocks, Volunteer James Fielding James Hamer	All sworn	John Marsh James Crook, Lower Houses James Crook, Cockscar Richard Kay James Kay Billy Ward

Presentment

of Oliver Ormrod for not properly repairing his portion of the road leading from Chapel Town to Bolton beginning at The Plat and ending opposite a pit in Peter Haslam's farm.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said Oliver Ormrod for not repairing the foot-path leading from the said road to the end of the double ditch.

Amercement £1-19.

Also for not repairing the remainder of the foot-path leading from the double ditch to The Volunteer.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Knowles of Toppings for not repairing the continuation of the said foot-way from the double ditch to Toppings Farm.

Amercement £1-19.

of Oliver Ormrod for not removing the stones out of the ditch bottom in or near the Little and Great Lever lands occupied by Samuel Orrell.

Amercement £1-19.

of Thomas Ainsworth & Co. for not keeping in repair their fence lying up to the byewater leading from the Hazlehurst Clough Lodge on the North East side about 7 roods in length.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not sufficiently fencing the west side of the byewater near Hazlehurst Clough Lodge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt for not repairing and paving about 53 yds. of the road and channel leading from William Crankshaw's house to Turton Chapel.

Amercement £1-19-11.

The Court order that in future the Affearors appointed by it shall deliver to each person fined a written statement of the day of the month of veiwing [*sic*] the presentment, and of their approbation or disappro-

bation of the work ordered to be done, or of the subject matter presented, which paper must be delivered to the foreman or the steward at the following Court. Otherwise the fine will be levied upon the Goods and Chattels and the Affearors shall be answerable if they neglect to do so and to pay any costs, charges or damages they may sustain in consequence of such levy. The Affearors shall also enter the day of the month of their View of each presentment in the book delivered to them by the Bailiff.

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers { James Kay, Buffs
James Crook, Cockscar } sworn

N.B. A true Copy.

We do hereby agree to refer the dispute between us, the undersigned, respecting the repair of the fence from Robbing Field to Ann Warburton's Height, to the determination of Richard Kay, of Orrells and Thomas Brooks of old Stewards, Arbitrators indifferently chosen by each of us, and if they cannot agree, then to such third person as they shall appoint whose decision shall be final, and which we hereby agree to abide by. Dated this 3rd of Nov. 1821.

Ralph Haworth
The mark X of
William Entwisle

Witness
Josh Fletcher

4 May 1822. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Edward Seymour Esqr and Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

John Kershaw Foreman Joseph Helme Robert Helme John Walsh Peter Ormrod, Wood End John Horrocks, Cross Guns Thomas Smith	All sworn	Samuel Holt Ralph Haworth William Entwisle Giles Marsh George Haworth Peter Crook

Presentment

of Robert Holt for not hanging a gate and for not mending his fence near the gate in Height Lane.

Amercement £1-10.

of William Crankshaw for not repairing the road from Three Lane Ends below Chapel Town to the watering trough.

Amercement £1-19.

Also for not repairing the said road from the watering trough to near Turton Mill Bridge.

Amercement £1-19.

Court order that if any horses, cows, sheep or pigs be found straying in the lanes or trespassing upon any of the lands in the Manor of Turton, the owners shall be subject to the following fines.

Each horse - - -	1/6
each cow - - - -	1/-
every sheep - - - -	6d.
every pig - - - -	6d.

Presentment

of Patty Nuttall for not repairing her length of Stanrows Wall.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Horrocks, William Haslam and John Taylor for suffering their poultry to stray upon James Kay's lands.

Amercement 1[d] each per head of all poultry.

of Robert Mayoh for not hanging a gate at the top of Mary Helmn's fold at Sharrockses.

Amercement 10/-

Court order that in future, the Bailiff shall write at the bottom of every notice of a fine sent to any person, a notice to the following effect: "You are requested to send or bring this notice to me, the Bailliff, on, or before the next Turton Court with the opinion of the Affearers affixed, whether duly and properly performed or not."

Officers

Constables	James Crook John Walsh	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Robert Helmn	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay Isherwoods James Kay, Nabb	cont[d]
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	James Kay James Crook	sworn

5 November 1822. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Edward Seymour Esq[r] and Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor, before Charles Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Wood, Foreman Peter Ormrod, Cozen Fold John Crook, Matherfold William Crankshaw George Hindle for John Kay, Isherwoods Thomas Greenhalgh John Orrell for Samuel Thornton	All sworn	William Holt Overhouses James Horrocks Goosecotehill John Pilkington George Warburton Senr John Warburton Billy Ward

Presentment

of Edmund Ashworth for not repairing his proportion of the fence lying between his land and that of John Knowles of Toppings.

Amercement £1-19.

of Thomas Duckworth for not repairing his proportion of the said fence between his land and that of John Knowles of Toppings.

Amercement £1-19.

of Andrew Knowles for not repairing his proportion between his land and that of John Knowles of Toppings.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Haworth for not repairing his proportion between his land and John Knowles of Toppings.

Amercement £1-19.

of Benjamin Livesey for not repairing his proportion between his land and John Knowles of Toppings.

Amercement £1-19.

of Edward Harwood for the same.

Amercement £1-19.

of Robert Booth for the same.

Amercement £1-19.

of Samuel Thornton for not repairing a fence between his meadow called the Rock Meadow and one called the Little Meadow in the occupation of Helmn Horrocks.

Amercement 15/-

of James Holt for not repairing the road from the top of a field called The Bent to the Stone Delf.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Cort & Co. for not repairing the road from the Smithy to the top of Horrobin Meadow.

Amercement £1-19.

of Ann Haslam for not repairing her fence and opening the ditch bottom from Knowles Lane End along the old road-side leading to Greene's Arms Public House.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Haslam for not repairing a wall and gate belonging to Cheetham Close which joins Ann Warburton's wall and leads downwards to the corner of a field called The Linkinshire.

Amercement £1-19.

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Affearers { James Kay, James Crook } sworn

3 May 1823. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife. Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Edward William Seymour Esqr and Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife. and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Joseph Fletcher Deputy for Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Peter Haslam, Foreman	All sworn	Samuel Holt
Wright Kay		John Butcher
Oliver Ormrod		William Horrocks
Samuel Orrell		Robert Mayoh
Thomas Slater		John Marsh
John Crook, Dewhursts		David Parkinson
James Holt		

Officers

Constables { James Crook, Higher End. William Warburton, Lower End }

Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Robert Helmn	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods James Kay, Nabb	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold James Kay, Nabb	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	cont[d]

Jury return themselves as special constables.

Affearers	James Kay James Crook	cont[d]

4 ovember 1823. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, Edward William Seymour Esq[r] and Charlotte Alice his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Joseph Fletcher Deputy for Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

John Knowles, Foreman Isaac Orrell William Holt, son of Ja[s] Thomas Haworth, Volunteer Thomas Marsh, Smithy Thomas Booth for James Fielding George Hindle	All sworn	Thomas Marsh, Parrs James Crook, Lower Houses Wright Kay for Rich[d] Kay Mark Waters James Kay Thomasson James Crook, Cockscar

Presentment

of Robert Holt for not repairing the road from Kenyons Gate to his own Gate.

Amercement £1-19.

of George Slater and James Slater for not repairing a Plat situated at Dunscar Gate leading to Dunscar.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Holt for not repairing the road from the top of a field called the Bent to the Stone Delf.

Amercement £1-19.

of Ann Holt and Betty Holt for not repairing the road from the Stone Delf to the top of Horrobin Meadow.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Cort & Co. for not repairing the road and for not opening the ditch on the westerly side from the top of Horrobin Meadow to a building called the White Room.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said Peter Cort and Co. for not repairing the road from The White Room to Smithy in Horrobin Brow.

Amercement £1-19.

of George Hindle for not repairing the road from the Smithy to the gates leading to the Tower and also for not opening the ditches on both sides of the said road.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said George Hindle for not repairing the road from Tower Gates to Mill Clough Bridge and for not opening the ditches on both sides of the said road.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Wood for not repairing the road from Mill Clough Bridge to the Chapel House and for not opening the ditches on both sides of the road.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Crankshaw for not repairing the road and not opening the ditches on each side of the road from the Three Lane Ends to the watering trough.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said William Crankshaw for not repairing the road and opening the ditches on the north side of the road leading from the watering trough to the Mill Bridge.

Amercement £1-19.

For the sake of regularity the Court order that the special Constables, on the expiration of their Offices, shall produce and deliver up to the succeeding officers at the next Court, the staffs or truncheons which have been entrusted to their care. The Persons so neglecting shall forfeit 2/-

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Affearers { George Haworth, John Walsh } sworn

; May 1824. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Peter Ormrod, Wood End Foreman
Peter Lee
Thomas Smith
William Warburton
John Isherwood
Peter Ormrod
John Horrocks
} sworn {
Samuel Crook
Ralph Haworth
Billy Ward
Helmn Horrocks
Edmund Bury
George Haworth
Deputy for Richard Kershaw

Presentment

of James Crook, Surveyor of the Highways of the higher end of Turton.

Amercement in £1-19 if he do not keep the fence in repair on the road-side leading to the Stone Delf belonging to John Pilkington when not leading stones from the Delf.

of any person who may be found in future trespassing on the closes or fields called Great Deans, Little Deans, Higher Deans and Shore Croft in the occupation of James Ramwell.

Amercement 2/6 or such punishment as the Court may choose to inflict in case of non-possession of goods and chattels.

Amercement of George Hindle of The Tower, James Crook, Lower House, James Crook, Cockscar, for not delivering in their Constable Staffs. 2/-

of John Kay for not opening the sough in the highway at the top of the lane adjoining his garden.

Amercement £1-19.

of George and James Slater for not removing the soil placed by them in the highway lying to the Great Stoney Rows.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Balshaw for not removing the soil placed by him in the same Highway.

Amercement £1-19.

of Joseph Helmn for not opening his ditch bottom in the highway lying to the Great Stoney Rows.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Warburton for not removing the fey and other rubbish in the highways opposite his delf.

Amercement £1-19.

of Richard Kershaw for getting Stone and making a dangerous hole at a place called Cocks Green in the highway.

Amercement £1-19.

of Thomas Booth for not removing the soil placed by him in the highway between his house and the building in the Hoof Lane.

Amercement £1-19.

of Ellen Marsh for not opening the ditch bottom in the highway lying to the west end of Watshaw Corner.

Amercement £1-19.

of James Ramwell for not repairing his length of the road leading from Chapel Town to the Green's Arms beginning at his barn and ending at Mr Spencer's Moss.

Amercement £1-19.

Jury order that all fines, if not duly paid, will be levied on Goods and Chattels.

Officers

Constables	Thomas Marsh for Peter Mayoh staff James Crook for Robert Edge Staff	sworn
Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Robert Helmn	contd
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods James Kay, Nabb	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod Cousin Fold James Kay, Nabb	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	contd

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Affearers	James Crook James Kay, Staff	sworn

4 November 1824.

COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor before Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Oliver Ormrod Lower House Foreman, Staff
John Knowles, Toppings, Staff
Samuel Hall, Volunteer
Thomas Marsh, Pars, for John Crook, Dewhurst, Staff
James Holt, Holts
Peter Cort, Horrobin Mill
Robert Gilchrist, near the Globes

Samuel Holt, Threelows, Staff
John Haslam, top of Meadow
James Crook, Coopers, Staff
Samuel Crook for John Marsh, Greens, Staff
James Walsh, Kenyons
Thomas Isherwood, Further Barn

Presentment

of John Webster for not repairing his length of the foot-path road leading from the Globe Inn to Critchley Fold.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said John Webster for walling-up and rendering unpassable the part of the foot-road leading from Egerton's old barn to Matherfold.

Amercement £1.

The Court order that the person who shall fulfil the office of Impounder shall be entitled to receive the sum of 1^d per foot for all animals that shall be hereafter impounded.

Presentment

of Thomas Ainsworth & Co. for not repairing the road and for not opening the ditch on the westerly side leading from the top of Horrobin Meadow to a building called the White Room.

Amercement £1-19.

of Peter Cort & Co. for not repairing the road from the White Room to the Smithy.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Wood for not repairing the road leading from Mill Clough Bridge to the Chapel House and for not opening the ditches on both sides of the road.

Amercement £1-19.

of William Crankshaw for not repairing the road from the Three Lane ends to the watering trough.

Amercement £1-19.

of the said William Crankshaw for not repairing the road from the watering trough to the New Mill Bridge.

Amercement £1-19.

of John Kershaw for not opening and keeping in good repair the gutter in his field called The Rough.

Amercement 10/-

The Court order that the following Notice be printed and posted up one month before the next Court:

Manor of Turton, Novr 4th 1824.

Notice is hereby given that all persons who owe Suit and Service to the Court Leet and View of Frank Pledge with the Court Baron of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, Lords and Ladies of the Manor of Turton are hereby required to attend the next Court Day, and that unless their Essoines incurred by non-attendance be then paid, proceedings will be taken against them.

By order of Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Affearers { George Haworth, Robert Mayoh } sworn

5 May 1825. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[s] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife, and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Charles Barritt, Steward.

Jurors

Peter Haslam, Foreman, Staff	All sworn	Mark Waters
John Knowles		Peter Crook, Staff
Thomas Greenhalgh, Staff		Richard Kay, Staff
Jonathan Hardman, Staff		Robert Helme
Isaac Orrell		James Kay, Staff
Robert Edge		Wright Kay, Staff
Thomas Marsh		

Thomas Dewhurst, Staff
James Kay for Rt: Helme

Affearers { James Crook, James Kay } sworn

Presentment

of Andrew Knowles, Benjamin Livesey and Thomas Duckworth for not repairing their shares of the fence between their land and John Knowles' of Toppings.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

4 November 1825. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster before Chas. Barret, Steward.

Jurors Lower End		Higher End
1 John Knowles Foreman	All sworn	1 Thomas Marsh, Staff return[d]
2 Isaac Orrell, Staff		3 James Kay
3 Robert Gilchrist		2 George Haworth, Staff
2 Thomas Booth		1 Samuel Holt, Staff return[d]
1 Oliver Ormrod		2 Billy Ward
3 Peter Ormrod		3 Thomas Hatwell } Deputy Staff
4 John Pollitt		Thomas Greenhalgh } Deputy Staff
4 Thomas Dewhurst		

Note

That all persons who shall hereafter present any person or persons for any cause or suit shall give 2 weeks notice in writing to the bailiff, stating the nature of the presentments and a copy of which shall be served at the dwelling house of each person a week previous to the ensueing Court.

Charles Barrett Steward.

5 May 1826. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, and Anne Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Charles Barret Steward.

Jurors

Lower End

Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour Staff 1 Foreman
Peter Ormrod, Wood End, Staff 1
Richd Kershaw, n^r Dunscar
Thomas Smith Timberbottom Staff 2
William Warbutton, n^r Globe Inn
Peter Lee, Great Oak 2
John Isherwood, n^r Workhouse Staff 3

All sworn

Higher End

John Kershaw, Greens Arms Staff
John Orrell, Isherwood Staff 2
James Crook, n^r Bradley's Staff 3
Benjamin Mayoh. Butterworth Staff 2
Edward Bury, Clough Staff 3
William Horrock, Tarkintons 1 for John Haslem

Presentment

of James Holt for not repairing a drain leading across the Occupation road at the bottom of Ovenfield Lane and another lying across the old occupation road the junction of the same road.

Amercement 15/-

of Betty Holt for not opening the ditch at the upper end of Bentfield so that the water may flow freely into the drain of James Holt.

Amercement 10/- Also for not opening the ditch bottom and causing the water to flow into the drain at Horobin Scotch.

Amercement 10/-

of John Horrocks for not opening a ditch and repairing a fence on the south-east of the road leading from Dimple to the old Smythy.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Thomas Ainsworth and Peter Cort for not repairing the road leading from Hooribin Scotch to Smithy House.

Amercement £1-19-11¾. Also for not repairing the road near Horribin Scotch, the road of Widow Holt's Fence.

Amercement 12/-

of William Wood for not repairing his length of road leading from Chapel Town to Mill Clough Bridge and for not opening the ditch near the sand-hole.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

Moss Lookers	Billy Ward Robert Helmn	cont[d]
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Isherwood	,,
House Lookers	John Kay, Isherwoods James Kay, Nabbs	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold James Kay, Nabb	,,
Impounder	Edmund Horrocks	cont[d]

4 November 1826. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[r] and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[r] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[r] and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster.

Cha[s] Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End

1	Thomas Ainsworth	Horrobin Mill	All sworn
2	James Holt	Hoolts	
	Peter Ormrod, Staff	Wood End	
3	Samuel Orrell	Orrell Fold	
3	Thomas Greenhalgh, Staff	,, do.	
2	John Whewell, Staff	,, do.	
1	John Knowles, Staff	Haydocks	

Higher End

1	John Pilkington, Staff	Sciss Hey	All sworn
1	John Warbutton, Staff	Horridges	
2	James Ramwell, Staff	Brookses	
2	Richard Kay, Senior, Staff	Dimple	
3	Thomas Hastwell, Staff	Cross Guns	
3	James Kay	Buffs	

Presentment

of Thomas Smith of Timberbottom for not opening his ditch bottom lying between the highway and the field called the Great Hey or field adjoining Flemming Pit.

Amercement 20/- Properly performed.

of Jonathan Hardman of Little Oak for not opening the ditch bottom being about 5 yds. in length and lying between the highway and Little Oak.

Amercement 5/- Properly performed.

of John Knowles of Toppings for not cleansing the sough which he laid between the highway and his new houses. Also for not opening the ditch bottom situated between the highway and the Stony Rows Wall.

Amercement £1-10. Properly performed.

of George Warbutton of Stones for not opening the ditch bottom situated between the highway and Stony Rows wall.

Amercement £1. Properly performed.

of Jane Bridge of Edgerton's for not opening the ditch bottom lying between the highway and the Smythy field and near the old cottage now in ruins.

Amercement £1. Properly performed.

of George Haworth of Batterage for not repairing his length of road leading from Charters Moss to the bottom of Stones Bank.

Amercement £1-19-11¾. Properly performed.

of John Horrocks for pulling down at the delph which lays between the Chapel Lane and Isherwood's Farm.

Amercement 25/- Properly performed.

of John Crook of Matherfold for not opening his ditch bottom lying between the highways and the Stoney Rows.

Amercement 10/- Properly performed.

4 May 1827 COURT of Edward Frere Esq: and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq: and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq: and Angelina Frances, his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Chas Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Lower End

Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour, Foreman, Staff
John Knowles, Ousel Nest, Staff
Peter Ormerod, Cousin Fold, Staff
Jonathan Hardman, Little Oak, Staff
Peter Haslem, Bertinshaw, Staff
Wright Kay, Toppings, Staff
Thomas Booth, Hardman

Higher End

Peter Crook, Whittles, Staff
Mark Waters, Orrells, Staff
Thomas Marsh, Parrs, Staff
James Holt, Shores, Staff
John Haslem, Meadow Head
James Walsh, Moss House, Staff

Presentment

of George Hindle of Tower for not repairing his length of road beginning at Mill Clough Bridge and ending at the Tower Globes.

Amercement £1-19.

of Thos Smith of Timberbottom for not opening the ditch bottom between the highway and Little Oak Meadow.

Amercement 10/-

of William Horrocks of Tarkington for not opening his ditch bottom about 170 yards long near Parr Height on the old Height Side and adjoining the rough field and part of the Ass Field.

Amercement £1-19.

3 November 1827.

COURT of Edward Frere Esq: and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq: and Arabella Penelope his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq: and Angelina Francis [*sic*] his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Chas Barrett Steward.

Jurors

Lower End

Peter Haslem, Bertinshaw, Staff
Thos Smith, Timberbottom, Staff
Peter Lee, Great Oak, Staff
Oliver Ormrod, Lowe House, Staff
John Knowles, Toppings, Staff
James Fielding, Toppings
John Whewel, Orrells, and not a Staff

Higher End

Giles Marsh, Parrs
James Kay, Thomassons
Lawrence Bently, Cross Guns, Staff
John Mayoh, Moss Side, Staff
James Ramwell, Brooks, Staff
Nathan Holt, Smythy House

Presentment

of Thomas Brook for not opening his ditch bottom between Mr Spencer's meadow called Intack Meadow and ending at Nabbs Barn.

Amercement 20/- Completed within the time.

of James Kay for not opening his ditch bottom between his Lower Meadow and Nabbs Barn.

Amercement 20/- Completed within the time.

3 May 1828. COURT of Edward Frere Esq: and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq: and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq: and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Green, Spinster, before Charles Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Jno Knowles, Haydocks, Foreman
William Smith, Coxgreen
Samuel Holt, in lieu of Thos Slater
James Entwisle in lieu of Jno Crook
Wm Haslem, in lieu of Robert Holt
Thos Marsh in lieu of Robert Helm

James Walsh
James Crook
Jno Marsh
Helm Horrocks
Jno Walsh
Geo. Warburton

sworn

Presentment

of Tho[s] Ainsworth and Peter Cort for not repairing the road from Horobin Scotch to Smithy House.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Giles Ashworth for not repairing the road and opening the ditch along the road from near the Smithy House to the Tower Globes.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Wright Kay for not properly opening his ditch bottom adjoining his meadow along the turnpike-road.

Amercement 10/-

To Richard Mounsey, Bailiff.

A complaint was made last May to the Court held at Chapeltown, Turton, concerning cattle being put on Charters Moss. It was reported by Tho[s] Marsh of Parrs that some of the farmers turned a greater number of cattle on the Moss than they had any right to do, according to the rental or number of acers [*sic*] they occupy. Therefore the Moss Lookers with some of the other farmers held a meeting at the Green's Arms for the purpose of settling the dispute and allotting to each farm their proportionable number they ought to turn on. There are only 4 farms that have any right to turn stock on the Moss as under—viz:

Stones Bank, Moss Side, Shorrocks and Lower House. But there is a part of Moss Side Farm now let to Jn° Horrocks containing 2a. 2r. 33p. for which he has taken the liberty to turn 8 or 9 cows on the Moss. Now you are desired as Bailiff to write to each farmer a notice of the number of stock allotted by us to each farm viz.:—

Stones Bank.....	Tenants Name	Billy Ward	to turn on	10	Cows or Gates
Moss Side	,,	Jn° Mayoh	,,	9	,,
Part of Moss Side	,.	John Horrocks	,,	2	,,
Shorrocks	,,	Mary Helm	,,	7	,,
Lower House	,,	James Crook	,,	7	,,

We, the undersigned, have examined the above and aproved of the division and settlement, as witness our hands this 19th March 1828.

John Ashworth Jun[r]

(Copy) Jn° Kershaw

Samuel Holt

In consequence of some dispute between the occupiers of farms who claim a right or priviledge to cut rushes on Charters Moss, that some have taken a larger quantity than others—it is thought that the best way would be to divide the Moss into lots so that the occupiers may each know which part belongs to him, therefore Jn° Ashworth Junr, John Kershaw and Samuel Holt have allotted and set out the Moss to and between the said farmers viz.:—James Crook, Mary Helm, John Mayoh, John Horrocks and Billy Ward. James Crook to have all the rushes that grow on the higher Moss above the road leading to Thomas Crooks—Rushton's Farm. Mary Helm to have the top part of Lower Moss to a sycamore tree that grows on the fence on the west side of the Moss to go in a slant direction accross the moss to the old turnpike road where there is a mark made at the side of an old marl pit. John Mayoh to have from the sycamore tree to a gap going into a field called the Little Field belonging to Stones Bank Farm on the west side of the Moss and from there across the Moss to a stile going into James Walche's Moss Meadow.

From the Little Field gap to the bottom of the Moss, to the old guide post and to the Moss Meadow stile, to belong to Billy Ward.

John Horrocks to have all the rushes that grows on that part called Gibraltar above the Moss Meadow stile but not to come over the old turnpike road.

Witness our hands this 19th March 1828

John Ashworth Junr
John Kershaw
Samuel Holt

Officers

Constables	James Crook, Lower End	Staff
	James Entwisle, Higher End	,,
Moss Lookers	James Crook	
	Billy Ward	

Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thos Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Robert Smith
House Lookers	Willm Haslem James Kay, Nabbs
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod James Kay
Impounder	Helm Horrocks
Affearers	George Howarth John Kershaw

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

5 bvember 1828. COURT of Edward Frere Esq: and Mary Ann his wife, George Mathew Hoare Esq: and Angelina Frances his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq: and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife and Anna Sophia Green Spinster, before Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Peter Ormrod, Wood End Foreman Jonathan Hardman, Little Oak Staff Peter Ormrod, Cousin Fold, Staff Samuel Orrell, Orrells Fold, Staff James Holt, Holts, Staff George Haworth, Staff	All sworn	John Hamer, Staff Benjamin Mayoh, Staff John Warburton William Haslem, Staff James Crook Staff Mark Waters John Orrell

Presentment

of George Hindle for interrupting the business of the Court by calling over the names of different persons, on the absence of the Steward, and treating the rules with contempt.

Amercement 5/- Paid.

of James Holt for not opening the ditch bottom and dressing the underwood from the crest of the ditch that encroaches on the field, from the bottom corner of the Under Croft up to the highway.

Amercement 10/-

James Crook of Cocks Scar in Turton, one of the Constables, having refused to comply with the oath he had taken by objecting to take into custody when required, one John Mounsey for forceably entering the dwelling house of Nancy Mounsey, widow of the late schoolmaster of one of the free schools in Turton and attempting to carry therefrom certain books which were her property, and he, being also one of the Jurymen appointed at this Court, has agreed to pay the sum of 10/- for such contempt, 5/- to be paid to the said Nancy Mounsey and the remainder to be applied in purchasing books and paper for the use of the Sunday School at Chapel Town.

N.B. This fine paid before the Court closed.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook Billy Ward	cont^{d}
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thos Wood	,,
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Robert Smith	,,
House Lookers	Willm Haslem James Kay Nb^{s}	,,
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod James Kay	cont^{d}
Impounder	Helm Horrocks.	,,
Affearers	George Howorth John Kershaw	

Jury return themselves as special constables.

4 May 1829. COURT of Edward Frere Esqr and Mary Ann his wife, George Mathew Hoare Esqr and Angelina Frances his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqr and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Steward.

Jurors Lower End
Peter Cort, Foreman Staff
John Bridge, Rock Staff
John Hamer in lieu of A. D. Howarth Staff
Richard Kershaw, near Dunscar Staff
Thomas Briggs Staff
Henry Horrocks Staff
John Holt Staff

Higher End
William Fielding Staff
Edward Bury Staff
William Horrocks, Tarkingtons
James Gregson, Top o'th Brow Staff
Robert Mayoh, Moss Side Staff
Richard Kay, Senior, Dimple

Presentment

of James Gregson, Top o'th Brow, for not opening a watercourse running along the bottom of a field in his occupation called Fielding Brow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of William Ward of Stones Bank for not opening his ditch bottom along the highway from the 5th mile-stone to near Greenwalls gate upon the Bolton and Blackburn turnpike road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of the Revd James Spencer for not clearing and removing the obstructions to the road on the south-west side leading from the path to his house and in continuation to the house occupied by Kitty Green.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Hindle for not properly repairing the road leading to Bolton from Lithermant Bridge, half way up the hill in continuation of the said road.

Amercement £1-19-11. Also for not repairing the same road from Taylor's Gate, half-way down the same hill.

Amercement £1-19-11. Also from Taylor's Gate to the Tower gates.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Cort for not properly repairing that part of the road leading from the White House to Smithy House.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Howarth for not properly repairing the road from Stones Bank Bridge to William Ward's Gap.

Amercement £1-19-11. Also for not repairing from the Gap to a sough belonging to Mark Waters.

Amercement £1-19-11. Also from the sough down to the highway leading to Blackburn.

Amercement £1-19-11. Also the said road leading from Dimple Bar to the old Church Chapel.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt for not opening the ditch bottom and dressing the underwood from the breast of the ditch that encroaches on the field, from the bottom corner of the under Croft up to the highway.

Amercement 10/-

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook Billy Ward	
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood	cont[d]
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Robert Smith	cont[d]

House Lookers { William Haslam, James Kay } cont[d]

Bye Law Men { Peter Ormrod, Wood End; James Kay cont[d] }

Impounder Helm Horrocks cont[d]

Affearers { George Howarth, John Kershaw }

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

4 ovember 1829. COURT of Edward Frere Esq[re] and Mary Ann his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esq[re] and Angelina Frances his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esq[re] and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Cha[s] Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Lower End	Higher End
Peter Haslam, Foreman	Giles Marsh, Parrs
John Ratcliffe, Globe Inn	James Marsh, Parrs
Thomas Smith, Timberbottom	James Kay, Buffs
John Whewell, Orrell Fold	Ralph Howarth, Castlemans
Wright Kay, Toppings	William Haslam, Walmsleys
Oliver Ormrod, Lower House	Thomas Mayoh, Armsgrove
Richard Smith, Globe Inn	

Presentment

of George Hindle for not properly repairing the road leading to Bolton from Mill Clough to the Tower gates.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of Giles Ashworth for not properly repairing the road from the Tower gates to the end of the round Leas fence.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of Peter Cort Junior for not repairing the road from the Smithy House to Horrobin Scotch.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of John Horrocks for not keeping his fence in proper repair on the west side of the road leading from the old Smithy near Walmsley Chapel to the gate leading into the field opposite the School.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of James Holt for not properly repairing the road from the Stone Quarry to the top of the Bent Field.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of George Smith for not properly railing and repairing a fence lying between Richard Smith's garden and the said George Smith's yard, being about 10 yds. in length.

Amercement 10/-

of Oliver Ormrod for not making or repairing a sough under the road coming into his field at the Volunteer and also for not opening and cleansing the ditch from the said road or gate for a certain length down the side of his fence so that the water may keep off and draw from the highway.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of William Crook for laying a heap of ashes in the highway at Volunteer.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of Oliver Ormrod for leaving in the highway at Toppings a tree root or old stock.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Mr Fairbourn of Edgertons for not opening his ditch in the highway lying to the Great Stony Rows.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw Thomas Wood

Fence Lookers	John Kershaw Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End James Kay
Impounder	Helm Horrocks
Affearers	James Kay Nathan Holt

Jury return themselves as special constables.

4 May 1830. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqre and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqre and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster, before Jno. W. Ridgway Deputy for Chas. Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
Jonathan Hardman, Foreman	James Crook, Coopers
Peter Ormrod, Wood End	Mark Waters, Orrells
Samuel Orrell, Orrell Fold	Peter Crook, Whittles
James Holt, Holts	John Walsh, Moss House
Jacob Holt, Holts	James Ramwell, Chapel Town
Robt Edge, Globe Inn	Nathan Holt, Smithy House
John Knowles, Hddox	

Presentment

of James Crook for not repairing his fence between Whewell's Farm and Cooper's.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robt Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	Helm Horrocks
Afferers	James Crook and Robt Edge

Constable for the Higher End William Entwistle

Constable for the Lower End Samuel Orrell

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

3 November 1830. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Anne his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqre and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqre and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Jno W. Ridgway Deputy for Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
Thomas Wood. Windy Harbour	John Pilkington, Sciss Hey
James Crook, Cockscar, Overseer	Benjamin Mayoh
Laurence Bentley, Cross Guns	George Haworth, Batterage
Peter Cort. Horrobin Mill	Samuel Holt, Turra Barn
Richard Kershaw, Dunscar	John Kershaw, Green Arms
John Knowles, Ramwells	William Horrocks, Tarkingtons
	Richard Kay, Dimple Toll Bar

Presentment

of William Wood for not repairing the road from the channel crossing the road to Chapel Town opposite the cottages belonging to Henry Ainsworth to Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of Richard Holt for not repairing the road from the first channel crossing the road to Chapel Town to Joseph Longworth's cottage.

Amercement £1-19-11. Completed within the time.

of George Hindle for not repairing the road from the Tower Globes to Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robt Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerers	James Kay, Buffs and John Knowles
Constable for the Higher End	William Entwistle
Constable for the Lower End	Samuel Orrell

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Manor Court. Novr 3 1830.

The Jurors undermentioned having viewed the [W]all, presented by Samuel Wood Surveyor, of the Highways for the lower end of Turton and belonging to Henry and Edmund Ashworth Esquires, have decided the wall shall remain as we found it there being no encroachment made upon the road.

Jurors

Thomas Wood, Foreman	Benjamin Mayoh
James Crook	George Howarth
Lawrence Bentley	Samuel Holt
Peter Cort	John Kershaw
Richd Kershaw	William Horrocks
John Knowles	Richard Kay
John Pilkington	

Complaints have been made by the inhabitants and housekeepers of this Manor that certain persons have been in the habit of erecting booths and standings within the said Manor (on the days and times for holding the annual Fairs at Chapel Town) for the purpose of selling Ale and other Liquors to the prejudice of the said inhabitants and housekeepers, It is therefore ordered by the Jurors of this Court that if any person or persons other than such as be Housekeepers within the said manor or Lordship shall permit or suffer any booth to be erected on the road-sides, or on his, her's, or their lands or premises in his, her's, or their possession on such occasions as aforesaid other than for his, her's, or their own particular use, he, she or they shall forfeit and pay, be amerced and fined £1-19-11 to be forthwith levied in such manner as other than the fines of this Court are enforced and also that the person or persons so erecting and using such booths on the several road-sides and on the lands and premises aforesaid shall forfeit and pay and be amerced and fined £1-19-11 which shall also be levied and enforced in like manner

Manor Court

Turton May 4th 1831

[*In the original Court Roll this appears as the last record in Volume II.*]

4 May 1831. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Anne his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqre and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqre and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene Spinster before Jno W. Ridgway Deputy for Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors		Higher End
Oliver Ormrod, Foreman	sworn	Kay Marsh in lieu of Giles Marsh
Wright Kay, Toppings		Ralph Howouth, Castlemans
Tho: Smith, Timberbottoms		Edward Bury, Clough
Richd Smith, Globe Inn		Thomas Bentley, Knoules
Jas Fielding, Toppings		James Gregson, Top o' Brow
Tho: Bridge, Rock		Wm Haslam in lieu of James Ogden
Jas Warburton, Stones		

Presentment

of John Ward for not repairing a certain walled fence between his field called Acre and a field of John Kershaw called Higher Roof, both in the Higher End of this Manor.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crook of Coopers for not repairing his fence between his farm and Margaret Mason's from the west end of a cop between the Roughs and the Close up to the south end of the same fields, to be taken in two separate lengths, as to one moiety or half of such lengths.

Amercement £1-19-11. As to the other moiety of half length of such fence as aforesaid. Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerers	James Kay, Buffs and James Crooks
Constable for the Higher End	Samuel Crook
Constable for the Lower End	Oliver Ormrod

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

4 Nvember 831. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Anne his wife, Peter Richard Hoare Esqre and Arabella Penelope Eliza his wife, George Matthew Hoare Esqre and Angelina Frances his wife and Anna Sophia Greene, Spinster, before Jno W. Ridgway, Deputy for Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors	Lower End	Higher End
	Sam[l] Crook in lieu of Tho[s] Booth, Hardmans	Ja[s] Ramwell in lieu of Giles Ashworth, Foreman
	John Isherwood, Dunscar Croft	James Kay, Buffs
	Geo: Slater, Dunscar	Peter Crook, Whittle
	Thomas Briggs, Edgerton's	Mark Waters. Orrells
	Rob[t] in lieu of W[m] Smith, Pillings	John Haslam, Medowhead
	James Halton, Gooscoat Hill	John Ward, Stones Bank
		Robert Mayoh, Three Laws

Presentment

of William Crankshaw for not repairing a foot-path leading through a field called Smithy Meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of William Crankshaw for not opening his ditch from the style entering the Smithy Meadow to the Three Road Ends.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Greenhalgh for not repairing the old road from Orrell Fold to Goosecoat Hill.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerers	James Kay, Buffs and James Crook
Constable for the Higher End	Samuel Crook
Constable for the Lower End	Oliver Ormrod

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

May 1832. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife before Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
Peter Ormrod, Wood End, Foreman	James Marsh, Parrs
Jonathan Hardman, Little Oak	James Walsh, Kenyons
Peter Lee, Great Oak	James Crook, Coopers
Thomas Greenhalgh, Volunteer	Thomas Crook, Wooshaw
John Knowles, Toppings	James Smith, Yate's
Elm Horrocks, n^r Globe Inn	James Parkinson
John Walsh, Smiths	

Presentment

of Whittaker for a trespass on the land of James Kay by poultry.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Wm Smith for not making the fence between his land and John Walsh's.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Helm Horrocks for not making the fence between his building land and John Walsh's.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Mason for not repairing the fence allotted to him to repair between Whewells and Coopers Farm.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robt Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and Ja^s Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affearers	James Kay, Buffs and James Crook

Constable for the Higher End Samuel Crook

Constable for the Low End Oliver Ormrod

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

3 November 1832. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife before Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
John Knowles, Ramwells, Foreman	James Kay in lieu of Jno Orrell, Isherwoods
John Mason, Dewhursts	R^d Kay, Dimple
James Horrocks, Stanrows	Benjn Mayoh, Butterworths
Robt Edge, Globe Inn	Jno Pilkington, Sciss Hey
George Warburton, Stones	Jno Mayoh, Moss Side
Wm Dearden, Edgerton	Roger Haslam, Ramsdens
John Whewell, Orrell Fold	

Presentment

of Oliver Ormrod for not repairing the road from Bromley Cross leading to Chapel-Town apportioned to his farm.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt for not repairing the road from the Stone Quarry to the top of the Bent Field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Giles Ashworth for not repairing the road and opening the ditch from the Tower Globes to near the Smithy House in Horrobin Brow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Mary Holt for not repairing the road from Parr Height Gate to Kenyon Gate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robt Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerers	James Kay, Buffs, and James Crook
Constable for the Higher End	Samuel Crook
Constable for the Lower End	Oliver Ormrod

Jury return themselves as special constables.

4 May 1833. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife before Jno W. Ridgway Deputy of Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End

Thos Wood, Foreman.
Wright Kay, Toppings. Staff.
Samuel Orrell, Orell Fold. Staff.
Thomas Briggs, Egerton. Staff.
James Waters, Globe Inn. Staff.
Jno Knowles in lieu of Ja^s Fielding.
William Tomlinson in lieu of
Peter Cort. Staff.

Higher End

Peter Crook, Whittles.
James Marsh, Junior. Staff.
John Haslam, Meadow Head. Staff.
Mark Waters, Orrells.
John Ward, Stones Bank.
James Kay, Buffs. Staff.

Presentment

of John Butcher of Turton for not repairing the road from Holden Fold to Nab in Turton.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of William Horrocks of Turton for not repairing the old road and foot road from Holden Fold to Nabs.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robt Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and Ja^s Kay

Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and Ja^{s} Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affearers	James Kay, Buffs and James Crook
Constable for the Higher End	Roger Haslam, Staff
Constable for the Lower End	Oliver Ormrod, Staff

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

4 November 1833. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife, before Jn^{n} W. Ridgway Deputy of Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors	Higher End	Lower End
	John Kershaw, Foreman	James Halton
	William Fielding	John Ormrod
	Edmund Bury	Jacob Holt
	Wm Entwisle, Top of Height	Jno Isherwood
	Ja^{s} Entwisle, Clough Head	Jno Holt, Club Houses
	Richard Rostron	Jno Vickers, Toppings
	Henry Horrocks	

Presentment

of John Bridge for an encroachment on the road at Cocksgreen Brow.

Amercement £1-19-11. If he do not within 14 days erect a temporary fence 4 ft. high to the full extent of the encroachment. Also if he do not, within 5 months from this day fill up one half in length of the encroachment so as to make the said road its original width.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Brockbank for an encroachment on the road at Cocksgreen Brow.

Amercement £1-19-11. If he do not, within 14 days erect a temporary fence 4 ft. high to the full extent of the encroachment. Also if

he do not, within the space of 5 months fill up one half of the encroachment to make the said road its original width.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Taylor of Dunscar Gate for an encroachment on the original foot-path leading from Goosecoat Hill to Dunscar.

Amercement £1-19-11 if he does not within 14 days make a proper fence 4 ft. high along the boundary of the encroachment.

Also if he does not, within 14 days, reinstate the foot-path to its original width and condition or to form a new one to be immediately adjacent.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for an encroachment on the road from Pillings to Dunscar reinstate the foot-path which originally formed part of the road or to put the said road in such a state of repair as to be suitable for foot passengers.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Parkinson for not keeping in repair the fence between Chapel Field and Bottoms Field.

Amercement 15/-

of James Walsh for not opening a sluice running from the south corner of Isherwood Close to the end of his pasture field and on one side of the Bolton and Blackburn Turnpike Road.

Amercement 10/-

Also for not opening the ditch bottom running from Halliwell Hall to the top of Moss Meadow adjoining Charters Moss.

Amercement 15/-

of John Haslam for not opening the ditch bottom on one side of the turnpike road from Bolton to Blackburn and for not keeping open the watercourses in his field which originally conveyed water to Whittles and Orrells.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Marsh for not opening a water-course on one side of the Bolton and Blackburn turnpike road from Orrell Gate to the Cock Hall Gap.

Amercement 10/-

of Widow Horrocks for not opening a sluice in Isherwood Close so as to convey the water running off the turnpike road from Bolton to Blackburn and for not repairing the fence along the sluice.

Amercement 10/-

Also if she does not within 14 days put the fence in good and sufficient repair.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not opening a water-course from the Prince William Public house along one side of the Bolton and Blackburn Turnpike Road to Houarth Gate.

Amercement 15/-

of Orrell Ward and John Ward for not opening a ditch bottom which runs along the Bolton and Blackburn Turnpike Road from the 5th milestone to the corner of "The Acre."

Amercement 10/

of Mark Waters for not opening the ditch bottom and watercourse running from the old guide-post along the old highway leading to Longworth and lying co-extensive with Mark Water's land.

Amercement 15/-

of Orrell Ward and John Ward for not opening the ditch-bottom and watercourse running from Mark Water's field to Stones Bank Bridge and lying on each side the highway to Longworth.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Warburton for blocking up the ancient foot-path leading from the bottom of Smooth Field to Egerton Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

May 1834. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife, before Jn° W. Ridgway Deputy for Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors

Lower End	Higher End
Peter Ormrod, Foreman	James Walsh
Jonathan Hardman	William Haslam for James Parkinson
John Bridge	Ralph Haworth
Thomas Dewhurst	Thomas Crook
John Walsh	John Ward
Helm Horrocks	James Smith
George Haworth for John Knowles	

Presentment

of James Kay of Buffs for not opening the ditch bottom between Dimple Bar and the new school.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for scraping and carting away the sand on the turnpike road from Bolton to Blackburn in the higher end of Turton and disposing of the same. Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Smith for not repairing his fence between Rushton Hillock Gate and the bottom of Thomas Crook's lower field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Entwisle for not repairing his fence and gate between Chapel Meadow and his land.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay

Impounder	James Halton
Affeerers	Samuel Holt and Samuel Crook
Constable for the Higher End	William Haslam for James Parkinson
Constable for the Lower End	Richard Crankshaw for William Dearden

Jury return themselves as special Constables, along with Adam Hornby.

5 November 1834. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife before Jno W. Ridgway Deputy for Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
John Knowles, Toppings, Foreman	Nathan Holt
John Knowles, Ouzle Nest	William Mayoh
Thomas Knowles	Peter Crook
John Hamer	Thomas Bentley
William Entwisel for John Isherwood	William Haslam for Edmund Bury, Clough
William Tomlinson for Peter Cort	George Haworth
Richard Tootill	

Presentment

of the Revd James Spencer for not opening the ditch bottom from the top of Chapel Meadow to his watering trough so that the water may be conveyed in its usual course.

Amercement £1.

of James Holt for not repairing the road from the Stone Quarry to the top of the Bent Field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affearers	Samuel Holt and Samuel Crook
Constable for the Higher End	Willm Haslam for James Parkinson
Constable for the Lower End	Richard Crankshaw for Richard Dearden

Jury return themselves as special constables.

5 May 1835. COURT of Edward Frere Esqre and Mary Ann his wife before Chas Barrett, Steward.

Jurors Higher End	Lower End
Thomas Wood, Foreman, for Henry Horrocks, Vale House	Richard Kershaw, Dunscar
Lawrence Bentley, Cross Guns	James Waters, n^{r} Globe Inn
Richard Kay, Jun., Dimple	John Knowles, Ramwells
Samuel Crook for Peter Crook } Whittles	James Slater, Dunscar
James Crook, Cockscar	William Smith, Pillings
Richard Rostron, Overhouses	Thomas Briggs, Coxgreen
Thomas Mayoh, Army Grove	

Presentment

of Oliver Ormrod for not keeping in proper repair that part of the road belonging to him from the turn above Bromiley Cross to the end adjoining Widow Ormrod's road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Ormrod for not keeping in proper repair her portion of the road, from the end of Oliver Ormrod's road to the part adjoining Thomas Wood's.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt for not keeping in proper repair his portion, from the end of John Knowles' road to Holt's Lane End.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Benjamin Hamer for having his fence, from the Old Smithy to the School, in bad repair.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Bury for having his wall running along the bottom of Thomasson's meadow, in a bad state of repair.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Smith for not having his fence running from Rushton Hill Gate to the brook dividing Turton and Longworth, in a proper state of repair.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Entwisle for having his fence along the bottom of his meadow in bad repair and for having no gate between his meadow and Lawrence Bentley's.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robt Smith
House Lookers	Wm Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and Jas Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affearers	Peter Haslam and Jno Kershaw
Constable for the Higher End	William Knowles Nichodean
Constable for the Lower End	Richard Crankshaw for John Ashworth, Jun.

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

5 November 1835.

COURT of James Kay Esq. before James Winder, Steward.
Due notice was given of this Court in Turton Chapel Nov. 1, 1835, by me, Nathan Holt

Jurors Higher End	Lower End
John Kershaw, Foreman	Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour
Richard Ramwell, Chapel Town	Jno. Knowles, Toppings
James Walsh, Kenyon's	James Warburton, Stones
Benjamin Mayoh, Butterworth's	Jonathan Hardman, Little Oak
William Horrocks, Tarkington's	Robert Edge, Globe Inn
Roger Haslam, Ramsden's	William Crook, Mather-fold
John Haslam, Meadow Head	

Presentment

of John Ward for not having in proper repair a watercourse or ditch bottom on the side of the high road in Turton Higher End adjoining his field called The Acre.

Amercement 5/-

of Mark Waters for not opening a ditch bottom running along the side of the old highway from Martha Gap to Orrell Gate, adjoining land in his occupation.

Amercement 10/-

of John Butterworth for not having in proper repair the portion of road belonging to him as tenant of the Tower Lees, leading from the Tower Globe to the fence between the Lees and Horrobin Mill Estate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Benjamin Hamer for not opening his ditch bottom between Walmsley Church Chapel and James Crook's meadow on the north-east side of what is called Chapel Field.

Amercement 5/-

of Margaret Mayoh for not opening the ditch bottom along the side of two meadows in her occupation on the old road-side from Dimple to Coxgreen.

Amercement £1.

of John Entwisle for not opening his ditch-bottom on the side of his land and of the road leading from Dimple to Coxgreen.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Parkinson for not repairing and paving about 53 yds. in length of the road and channel leading from the north side of his house to the stile opposite Ainsworth's houses.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of the Revd James Spencer for not opening his ditch bottom from the top of Chapel Meadow to the watering trough so that the water may be conveyed away in its usual course.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crook for not removing the rubbish from the opening of a ditch bottom, on the side of the road from Dimple to Coxgreen.

Amercement £1.

of Thos Hardcastle of Firwood for not opening his portion of the ditch bottom as tenant of Timberbottom at Great Stanrows on the east side of the road from Dimple to Coxgreen. The ditch bottom is about 20 yds. long and runs along that part of the fence extending from the letter T to A.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Bentley for not repairing a certain length of road from the bottom of Stones Bank to the old finger post at the bottom of Charters Moss and also for not opening his watercourses at the bottom of Charters Moss.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Kershaw, Foreman, for not having in proper repair a foot-path leading from the Cross Guns to Dimple.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of William Crook for not opening the fence-bottom or water-course along the side of the Moor-field, adjoining the old highway from the Poor-house to Dimple.

Amercement 7/6.

of Richard Kay for not opening his water-course in a meadow called Isherwood Close on the side of the King's highway.

Amercement 15/-

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and Jas. Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Affearors	James Crook, Cockscar and Jno. Ward Stones
Constable for the Higher End	William Knowles, Nichodean
Constable for the Lower End	Richard Crankshaw for John Ashworth, Jun.

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Jury also return Adam Hornby as a special Constable for the Lower End of Turton.

5 May 1836. COURT of James Kay Esqre before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
John Knowles, Top o' Turton. Foreman	George Howarth, junr.. for Geo. Howarth, sen. Batterage
John Bridge, Rock	John Butcher, Oldmans
Thomas Briggs, Smiths	Arthur Kay, Top of Little Moor
John Butterworth, p^t of Tower	William Entwisle, Top of the Height
John Lee, Lees	William Houarth, Stewarts
Thomas Knowles, Tower	James Gregson, Top o'th Brow
Wright Kay, Toppings	

Presentment

of Thomas Greenhalgh of Greenwalls for a trespass on Roger Haslam's meadow by poultry.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Crook's tenants, William Green and James Waters, for trespassing on Benjamin Hamer's meadow called Little Croft and pulling down the fence between Lawrence Bentley's meadow and another occupied by Benjamin Hamer.

Amercement 2/- each for every time they are found trespassing on the land.

of Richard Smith for not having in proper repair a line of road, from John Mayoh's dwelling-house to the New Close Gap.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Walsh for not having in a proper state of repair a length of fence on the north and west side of Moss Meadow, adjoining Charters Moss.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not repairing his length of road from the bottom of the old marled field to the end of the old Height Lane.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Holt for not having in proper repair her line of road from James Walsh's gate to Giles Marsh's gate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Butterworth, (he himself consenting thereto) for not having in proper repair his line of road from the Tower Globes to the fence adjoining Horrobin Mill Estate from the Lees.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Ormrod for not having in proper repair her line of road from Thomas Wood's brow to a pit on the right-hand side of the road to Bolton.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Ratcliffe for not removing the rubbish from the side of Thomas Briggs' fence, running along the side of the turnpike road to Blackburn and also for not having his fence in proper repair at the back of his building land.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Edmund Horrocks for not removing the stones he cast down on the side of the turnpike road to Blackburn.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Booth for not opening the ditch-bottom on the side of the road leading from the old Smithy to Dunscar-gate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton (sworn)
Afferors	James Kay and James Halton
Constable for the Higher End	Ralph Howarth, Castleman's
Constable for the Lower End	John Bridge, Rock
Constable for the Manor	Adam Hornby

Jury return themselves as Special Constables.

COURT of James Kay Esqr before J. Winder, Steward.

4 ovember 1836

Jurors Higher End

Peter Cort for Giles Ashworth } Foreman

William Entwisle, Height Side

Thomas Crook, Woodshaw

Mark Waters, Orrell's

William Knowles, Nichodean

Robt Kay for James Kay } Nabb

William Haslam for Ralph Howarth } Castleman's

Lower End

John Taylor, pt. of Tower Farm

James Fielding, Orrell-fold

Thomas Booth, Hardmans

Oliver Ormrod, Lower House

John Knowles, Oazle Nest

Jacob Holt, Holts

Presentment

of James Holt for not having in proper repair his portion of the old road leading to Wood-end.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Holt (her son consenting) for not having in proper repair her portion of the old road to Wood-end.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Pilkington for not opening his ditch-bottom on the side of the old highway at the bottom of his field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Benjamin Mayoh for not opening his ditch bottom on the side of his land from John Pilkington's farm and on the side of the old highway.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Oliver Ormrod (he himself consenting thereto) for not repairing his line of road from the coal-pit above Bromiley Cross to the pit on the right-hand side of the road from Bolton.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Haslam for not having in proper repair his line of road from Oliver Ormrod's road to Bromiley Cross.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Ormrod for not having in proper repair her line of road, from the pit on the right-hand side of the road from Bolton to the line of road belonging to Thomas Wood.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Matthew Hoare Esquire for not keeping in proper repair a foot-path through the plantation from Toppings to Eagley Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Cort, Foreman (he himself consenting thereto) for not having in proper repair his line of road from Tower Leès to Horrobin Scotch.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Booth, he himself consenting thereto, for not opening a ditch-bottom on the side of the road from the old Smithy to Eagley Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Benjamin Hamer for not opening a ditch-bottom on the side of the road from the old Chapel to James Crook's house.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crook for not opening a ditch-bottom on the side of his meadow to John Ratcliffe's land.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Ratcliffe for not opening a ditch bottom from the old Globe Inn to James Warburton's land.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Knowles for not having in proper repair the line of road from the Tower Globes to Litheman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Butterworth for not having in proper repair his line of road from the Tower Globes to the fence dividing the Lees from the Horrobin Mill Estate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of William Entwisle for not having in proper repair his line of road from the Par gate to William Entwisle's land and for not opening the water-course on the side.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Court order that if all or any of the presentments be not properly executed within the limited time, Mr James Winder, the Steward, will be directed to levy the fine or fines upon the goods and chattels of every person so offending immediately after the expiration of such time or times.

Ordered that the Afferors hereafter shall deliver a true report of the several Amercements or presentments, in *writing*, stating their approbation or otherwise, of the manner in which they are executed and the day of viewing, to the Bailiff, within 3 days after the limited time.

Officers

Moss Lookers	James Crook and Billy ard
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Afferors	John Hamer and George Howarth

Constable for the Higher End Ralph Haworth, Castleman's
Constable for the Lower End John Bridge, Rock
Jury return themselves as special Constables.

4 May 1837. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Barlow for James Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Lower End

John Cartwright, Horrobin Mill Foreman
John Vicars, Toppings
John Knowles for Joseph Atkinson } Toppings
Richard Tootill, Horrobin Scotch
Samuel Orrell, Orrell-fold
John Ormrod, Cozen-fold
William Lowe, Eagley Lane

Higher End

James Waters, Orrells
Robert Mayoh, Three Lows
Thomas Kershaw, Warburtons
James Marsh, Jun., Parrs
George Horrocks, Nichodean
Peter Crook, Top o'th' Brow

Presentment

of Thomas Crook for not having in proper repair his line of fence, being the division between Turton and Longworth.

Amercement in three sums of £1-19-11 each, if three portions of the fence, viz.: one extending along the stubble land 36 roods, another 16 roods, and another 22 roods, be not repaired within 21 days.

of James Holt for not having in proper repair his line of road from the top of Bent Field to the old Stone Quarry.

Amercement in two sums of £1-19-11 each, if the said road divided into 2 equal parts be not properly repaired, within 21 days.

of Thomas Knowles for not having in proper repair his line of road from the Tower Globes to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Oliver Ormrod for not having in proper repair his line of road from Thomas Wood's brow to the pit on the right-hand side of the road to Bolton.

Amercement in 2 sums of £1-19-11 each if the said road divided into 2 portions be not repaired, within 21 days.

of Widow Ormrod (her son consenting) for not having in proper repair her line of road from the middle of Thomas Wood's brow to the pit on the left-hand side of the road to Bolton.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Holt for not having in proper repair her line of road from Horrobin Scotch to the old Stone Quarry.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Butterworth for not repairing his line of road from the Tower Globes to the fence dividing the Lees from the Horrobin Mill Estate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Radcliffe for not repairing the fence between his building land and Thomas Briggs' meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury unanimously agree that Benjamin Hamer is to be distrained upon for non-compliance with the verdict of the last Court.

Presentment

of Benjamin Hamer for not opening his ditch bottom from the old Chapel yard to the late James Crook's house.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury agree that the following cases of debt be recorded in the proceedings of the Court:—

James Martin Bentley versus Benjamin Knowles	Case 3/6
James Martin Bentley v. Janet Horrocks, Smith's	Case 7/-
James Martin Bentley v. Robert Mather, Coxgreen	Case 17/4

Presentment

of the Rev[d] James Spencer for not opening his ditch bottom from the top of Chapel Meadow to his watering trough so that the water may be conveyed away in its usual course.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Ramwell for not having in sufficient repair his line of road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Nathan Holt for the same.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury agree that the Afferors comply with the two last orders of last Court.

Presentment

of John Knowles for contempt of Court.

Amercement 1/-

of George Matthew Hoare Esq: for not having hand-rails at certain dangerous parts of the foot-path from Toppings to Eageley Bridge, and for not repairing the culvert at the bottom of it.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	William Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Afferors	Henry Horrocks and Peter Cort

Constable for the Higher End { William Howarth Steward's for Richard Kay, Jun., Dimple

Constable for the Lower End { Richard Crankshaw for Henry Ashworth

Jury, with the exception of George Horrocks, return themselves as special Constables.

4 ovember 1837. COURT of James Kay Esq: before James Winder, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
Joseph Atkinson, Toppings, Foreman	Thomas Mayoh, Army Grove
	Henry Horrocks, Vale House
Richard Ramsbottom Holt, Tower Cotge	Nathan Holt, Chapel Town
	Thomas Bentley, Knoules's
William Entwisle for Richard Kershaw, Dunscargate	Edmund Bury, Clough
	Samuel Crook, Bradley's
Edmund Holden, Great Oak	
Peter Haslam, Birtinshaw	
John Isherwood, Dunscar Crofts	
John Ratcliffe, Smith's	

Presentment

of Richard Ramwell for not having in proper repair the fence, and for not opening the ditch-bottom on the side of Nathan Holt's Little Meadow.

Amercement 10/-

of Peter Smith of Dimple for throwing dirty water and other rubbish into the Rev. William Probert's garden-gate and into the road leading to other property of his.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Isaac Orrell of Dimple for throwing dirty water and other rubbish into the gateway leading to the Rev. William Probert's house and into the stile-way of the foot-path leading to the Unitarian Chapel and Longworth.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Lee for not having in proper repair his fence which separates his meadow from the Tower Lee.

Amercement in 2 sums of £1-19-11 each if the fence divided into 2 portions be not repaired.

of James Winder Esq. for not having in proper repair his line of road extending from the old pit on the left hand side of the road to Bolton to the line of road belonging to Peter Haslam.

Amercement £1.

of James Holt for not keeping in proper repair that part of his road from the end of John Knowles's road to Holt Stone Delph.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Greenough for not having in proper repair the footpath leading through Tonge Fields.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury find that Janet Horrocks has paid James Martin Bentley 7/- which she was indebted to him and for which she was presented at the last Court.

Presentment

of Benjamin Hamer for not opening his ditch-bottom on the side of the road from Brownhill gate to Richard Kay's new building.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Fairclough for not having in proper repair his line of fence which divides the Deans from his meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	William Crook and Billy Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Afferors	Richard Ramsbottom Holt and Peter Cort

Constable for the Higher End William Howarth, Stewards for Richard Kay, Jun., Dimple

Constable for the Lower End Richard Crankshaw for Henry Ashworth

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

4 May 1838. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Barlow, for Jas. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Higher End	Lower End
Richard Ramwell, Brooks'	R. R. Holt, Foreman, Tower Cottage
George Howarth jun. for George Howarth, sen. } Batterage	John Butterworth, Edgworth
William Howarth, Stewards'	John Lee, Lees
William Knowles, Nichodean	James Greenough for James Slater, Dunscar
John Kershaw, Greene's Arms	Jonathan Hardman, Oak
John Hamer for Richard Kay, Jun. } Dimple	Wright Kay, Toppings
	Peter Ormrod, Wood-End

Jury agree that the Afferors inspect the ditch-bottom on Benjamin Hamer's land running from Brownhill-gate to Richard Kay's new building and that it be presented at the next Court for consideration.

Presentment

of Benjamin Hamer for not having in proper repair his fence running from the Unitarian Chapel to the Rev[d] William Probert's garden.

Amercement £1.

of Widow Ormrod for not having in proper repair her line of road from the old pit to the middle of Thomas Wood's brow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt for not having in proper repair the line of road from the end of John Knowles's road to Holt Stone Delph and also for not repairing the fence on both sides of the road and not opening the ditch-bottoms.

Amercement in two sums of £1-19-11 each.

of Thomas Knowles for not removing the scrapings from his road, beginning at the Tower Globes; also [*sic*] the said road in two separate portions each of equal length running from the Tower Globes to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement in three sums of £1-19-11 each.

of John Kershaw (he himself consenting thereto) for not removing the stones on the side of the road from Platts' Stable to Greene's Arms.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Jacob Holt for not having in sufficient repair his line of road from the King William to the road belonging to James Holt and also for not opening the ditch-bottoms on both sides.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Chadwick and Brothers for not repairing their foot-path leading from Tonge Field to Eagley Bridge School and for not providing a sufficient foot-path for the accommodation of travellers.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Smith for throwing rubbish on the road to Stones.

Amercement 10/-

of the executors of the late Mrs Wood for not having in repair the road beginning near the Club Houses and ending at the Three Lane Ends.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not having in repair the road from the Three Lane Ends to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not opening the ditch-bottoms on both sides of the road from Chapel Town to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Thomas Melody and James Kirkman for not having in proper repair the road and channel from the north end of Kirkman's house to the south end of the Club Houses.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Bridge for damaging the old road to Blackburn and for having the walls down and in a dangerous state from the top of Cox-green to the houses occupied by Joseph Gregory.

Amercement in ten sums of £1-19-11 each if the said road and walls divided into 10 portions be not repaired, within 3 months.

of J. B. Brockbank for damaging the old road to Blackburn and for having the walls down and in a dangerous state from the top of Cox-green to the houses occupied by Joseph Gregory.

Amercement in 10 sums of £1-19-11 each.

of John Butterworth (he himself consenting thereto) for not having in proper repair the line of road from the Tower Globes to the fence dividing the Lees from Horrobin Mill Estate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury authorize James Greenough to admonish the tenants of James Waters not to lay down any clothes in Benjamin Hamer's land, and to state that for every such offence they will be subjected to a fine of 10/-

Officers

Moss Lookers	William Crook and John Ward
Wood Lookers	John Kershaw and Thomas Wood
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	William Haslam and James Kay
Bye Law Men	Peter Ormrod, Wood End and James Kay
Impounder	James Halton
Afferors	Richard Crankshaw and James Kay, Nabbs

Constable for the Higher End — William Howarth, Stewards

Constable for the Lower End — Andrew Binns for Edmund Ashworth, Edgworth

Jury return themselves as special Constables, except John Butterworth.

2 November 1838. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder Steward.

Jurors Higher End	Lower End
James Gregson, Top o'th' Brow	James Crawshaw, Foreman, Tower
James Kay, Chapel Town	Peter Cort, Horoben Mill
John Horrocks, Dimple	James Fielding, Orril Fold
Thomas Wood, Orrills	William Kenyon, Egerton
John Butcher, Little Moor	John Knowles, Toppins
Richard Smith, Moss Side	William Dearden, Toppins
John Ward, Moss Side	

Presentment

of Revd James Spencer for not having in repair the sough crossing Ramwell's road into Chapel Meadow, and also for not opening the ditch bottom above the sough inside the road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Ramwell for not having in repair the sough crossing his road into Chapel Meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Mary Scholes of Belle-view for not having in repair a sough at Horrobin Scotch which causes the water to overflow the road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Holt, Top of Turton, for not having in repair his road from Holts Delph to John Knowles' fence.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Matthew Hoare Esqre for not having railed off certain dangerous parts of the foot-path leading from Toppins to Eagley Bridge and for not repairing the culvert at the bottom.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Henry and Edmund Ashworth Esq^rs^ for obstructing and averting the water from the usual course and causing it to overflow a part of the premises belonging to Richard Smith.

Amercement £1-19-11.

4 May 1839. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder Steward.

Jurors

James Crowshaw, Tower	Robert Mayoh, Three lows
Joseph Brandwood, Chapel Town	Thomas Booth, Hardmans
George Horrocks, Nicodeans	John Knowles, Top of Turton
George Haworth, Batteridge	Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour
Richard Ramwell, C. Town	James Knowles, Eagley
James Kay, Nabbs	John Vickers, Toppings

All sworn

Presentment

of John Horrocks for not having his gate and fence in proper repair running along the side of Isherwood's Close.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Kay, Esquire, for not having in proper repair a sough near Stanrows gate so that the water may not flow upon the highway.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Benjamin Hamer, John Orrell, James Warburton, Thomas Briggs, Adam Lomax Haworth, George and James Slater, Edmund Holden, Henry and Edmund Ashworth and Richard Crankshaw the occupiers of land to whom the wall at Stanrows belongs, for not repairing their respective portions of the wall.

Amercement £1-19-11¾d. each.

of James Crowshaw (he himself consenting thereto) for not having in sufficient repair his road from the Tower Globes to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of John Butterworth for not repairing and opening the ditch bottom from the gate leading into the Lees to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of John Taylor for not opening the ditch bottom from the top of the Tower Rake to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of Peter Ormrod for not repairing the old road from Horrobin Scotch to the bottom of Oven Field Lane.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of James Holt for not having in sufficient repair the road from the bottom of Oven field Lane to Holts.

Amercement £1-19-11¾.

of William Haydock for allowing his poultry to trespass upon Henry Horrock's land.

Amercement 10/-

Officers

Constable for the Higher End	James Gregson, Top o'th' Brow
Constables for the Lower End	Richard Crankshaw for James Slater }
	and Andrew Binns for James Knowles }

Affeerors Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour and
John Knowles, Haydocks

Jury return themselves as special constables.
All sworn

5 ovember 1839. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder Steward.

Jurors

Peter Cort, Higher End, Foreman		Lower End
Henry Horrocks		John Ratcliffe
George Horrocks		James Halton
Richard Kay	All sworn	John Bridge
John Orrell		William Crook
Nathan Holt		John Knowles
James Bury		

Presentment

of James Crowshaw for not repairing the highway, a road belonging to him to repair from the Tower Globes in Turton to Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Kershaw of the Greens Arms for allowing the water to overflow the road from the turnpike road near the Greens Arms towards Chapel Town.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Benjamin Hamer for not opening the ditch bottom on the south side of that part of the road which lies between the Walmsley Old Chapel and Dimple Bar whereby the water overflows the road.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Margery Kay for not opening the ditch bottom on the north side of that part of the road in Turton which lies between Walmsley School and Dimple.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Edward Frere, Esquire, for not repairing the battlements of the bridge across the road at or near a place called the Old White Room near Horrobin Mill Works.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Betty Haslam for having diverted the water from the channel upon the road at or near Hardman's in Turton.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Joseph Brandwood for not repairing his fence at the bottom of the Ben Know and at the bottom of Clough House Fields.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Ramwell for not repairing his fence at the bottom of Clough House field and at the bottom of Lincolnshire field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Cort (he himself consenting) for not repairing his fence at the bottom of Allen's Meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Revd James Spencer for not repairing his fence down the side of Lincolnshire field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crowshaw for not opening the ditch bottom leading from the Tower Globes to Mr Holt's house, and for not casting away the rubbish.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	William Crook and John Ward
Fence Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerors	Peter Ormrod and John Knowles
Inspectors of Weights and Measures	Peter Haslam and James Gregson

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

All sworn.

J. Winder.

8 May 1840. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
John Knowles, Top of Turton	John Kershaw, Greens Arms
Jacob Holt, Holts	James Mason, Whowells
John Holt, Holts	James Gregson, Top o'th' Brow
Samuel Orrell, Orrell Fold	Thomas Wood, Orrells
Edmund Holden, Great Oak	James Smith, Yates
George Haworth for John Knowles, Toppings	James Warburton for James Marsh, Pars

All sworn

Presentment

of Revd James Spencer for not repairing the ditch-bottoms between William Holt's house and top of Sandy Brow.

Amercement 20/-

of Edward Frere Esquire for not repairing the battlement of the bridge turning down to Horrobin Mill Bleach Works from the highroad leading from Chapel Town to Bolton.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Joseph Brandwood for not having his fence in proper repair between his driving gate and Chapel Meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	John Kershaw and Robert Smith
House Lookers	Thomas Wood and Samuel Orrell
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerors	Richard Ramwell and James Warburton

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

Constables for the Lower End Richard Crankshaw and Andrew Binns

Constable for the Higher End Richard Ramwell

All sworn

6 November 1840 COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
John Taylor, part of Tower Farm	John Ward, Stones Bank
William Holt, Horrobin Scotch	James Mason, Crankshaws
George Hindle for James Haslam, Wood End	William Mayoh, Top o'th' Brow Robert Kay, Nabbs
George Haslam, Eagly Lane	William Fielding, Lower Houses
Ellis Cooper, Eagly Lane	William Holt, Over Houses
Francis Anson, Stranger	

Presentment

of Richard Crankshaw for not attending the Court of Jurors to present that to what his office belongs.

Amercement 5/-

of Richard Ramwell for the same.

Amercement 5/-

of Richard Ramwell for not keeping in repair the road from his barn to the top of Little Sandy Brow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of G. M. Hoare Esq: for not keeping in repair the foot-path leading from the School to the new Church.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richd Ramwell for not repairing the road from the corner of the Lower Moss to the house occupied by Mr Bentley, Surgeon.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Henry Horrocks for not keeping in repair the road from John Butterworth's barn to Three Lane Ends, particularly Turton Bottoms Bridge and near the coal-pit.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crowshaw for not keeping in repair the road from Idleman's Bridge to Tower Globes.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Edward Frere Esq: for not keeping in repair Mill Clough Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Officers

Moss Lookers	Jno. Kershaw and Jno. Ward
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerors	Peter Cort and Jno. Kershaw

Jury return themselves as special Constables.

All sworn

5 May 1841. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward

Jurors Higher End	Lower End
Henry Horrocks, Lower Haworths	Peter Haslam, Birtinshaw
Sam[l] Crook, Bradleys	John Ormrod, Cousin Fold
Thomas Mayoh, Army Groves	Sam[l] Orrell, Orrell Fold
George Haworth, Batteridge	James Fielding, Orrell Fold
Thomas Kershaw, Horridges	Edmund Holden, Great Oak
Peter Cort, Horrobin Mill	George Hindle, for Edm[d] Bury, Clough

Presentment

of Richard Ramwell for not keeping in repair the road from the top of Nathan Holt's Moss to Chapel Town.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Croshaw for not keeping in repair the road n[r] Litherman's Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Butterworth for not keeping in repair the foot-path from Litherman's Bridge across the Lees.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Nathan Holt for not keeping open a ditch-bottom or water-course leading from a driving gate of Richard Ramwell's to the brook in Ramwell's field called Rough Field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Rev[d] James Spencer for not keeping in repair the road from his house to Nathan Holt's Moss.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crowshaw for not having repaired the road presented against him at the last Court and that a warrant of distress be issued against him for his fines if the road be not repaired in 1 month.

Officers	
Moss Looker	John Kershaw
Impounder	James Halton
Affeerors	Peter Cort and Thomas Wood
Constables	Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour
	Andrew Binns, Egerton
	George Hindle

5 November 1841.

COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors Lower End	Higher End
David Skinner, Oaks, Foreman	William Entwisle for John Marsh, Greens
John Houghton, Little Oak	James Mather, Stranger
William Baron, Volunteer	James Crook, Grindle End
Thomas Lees, Mather Fold	John Butcher for Wm Horrocks, Tarkintons
Thomas Wood, Orrells	George Hindle
James Walsh, Kenyons	Jacob Holt, Holts

All sworn

Presentment

of James Kay Esq: for not keeping in repair the foot-path from Close Wall over to Ciss Hey Farm.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Kay Esq: for not keeping in repair a length of stone fence fallen into the road belonging to Ciss Hey Farm.

Amercement £1-19-11.

George Hindle makes a charge of 5/- on the Overseer of Turton in the case of the calling of the Jury and Coroner upon the body of Robt Holt on or about the 23rd August 1841.

Presentment

of Joseph Brandwood for not keeping in repair his fence between his driving gate and Chapel Field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Affeerors { Sam. Orrell, Orrell Fold
Robt Mayoh, Three Lowes

Joseph Brandwood complains of Daniel Mayoh of a plea of debt 17/8.

Ale Connor Thomas Lees, Mather Fold

6 May 1842 COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors Lower End		Higher End
James Haslam for Sam Haslam	Wood End	John Mayoh, Moss Side
		William Mayoh, Top o'th' Brow
John Isherwood, Hardmans		William Entwisle, Rostrons
Robert Smith for William Smith	Pillings	William Holt, Foggs
		William Garbett, Turton Moor
Thomas Briggs, Smiths		James Berry, Walshes
James Crowshaw, Tower		
Lawrence Bentley, Dewhursts		

All sworn

Presentment

of James Kay Esquire for not repairing the battlements of Lithermans Bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury having viewed the highway lately repaired by Richard Ramwell at the north end of Chapel Town in respect of two farms he held and he having given up one farm to James Kay of Chapel Town, do order, direct and determine that James Kay, in respect of the farm he holds, and while he holds, shall hereafter repair the part of the said road which begins at the north end of Chapel Town and extends northwards to a sough which crosses the said road on the north side of Mr Bentley's house. And that Richard Ramwell in respect of the farm he holds and while he holds shall hereafter repair the other part of the said road.

Officers

Constables	James Crowshaw, Lower End
	James Berry } Higher End
	George Hindle } Higher End
Affeerors	John Cartwright and Thomas Wood
Moss Lookers	John Kershaw
Impounder	James Halton

J. Winder
Steward

11 November 1842.

COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Higher End	Lower End
John Rostron, Spring Bank	Jonathan Simpson, Royal Oak
Arthur Kay, Over Huses	John Holt, Toppings
Daniel Mayoh, Army Groves	Samuel Orrell, Orrell Fold by Wm Entwisle
John Kay, Little Moor	George Hindle for Jno Knowles, Toppings
Joseph Brandwood, Chapel Town	Hugh Horrocks, nr Globe Inn
Henry Appleton, Stranger	Thomas Simpson, nr Globe Inn

Jury return themselves as special Constables

J. Winder
Steward

5 May 1843.

COURT of James Kay Esq. before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Higher End	Lower End
Peter Crook, Whittles	Richard Ramsbottom, Holt
John Ward, Stones	John Lee, Lees
William Entwisle for James Crook, Coopers }	John Holt, Holts
James Smith, Yates	John Warburton for James Warburton, Stones }
Roger Haslam, Ramsdens	John Riley, Dimple
William Horrocks, Tarkintons	John Mason
Richard Ramwell, Brooks	

Presentment

of Betty Knowles for not repairing her ring fence in her farm beginning at the top of lower trough field to the top of the Higher Wood Field.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not repairing her ring fence between her farm and John Knowles' from the top of Higher Wood field to the plantation in Holts bottoms.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Constable	James Crowshaw
Affeerors	Thomas Wood, Orrells Peter Cort
Moss Lookers	John Ward
Impounder	James Halton

7 Novembr 1843. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors Higher End	Lower End
John Kershaw, Greens Arms	John Knowles, Top of Turton
William Entwisle for William Knowles, Nicodeans	Samuel Wood, Windy Harbour
Joseph Brandwood for Peter Cort, Horrobin Mill	George Hindle for John Knowles, Toppings
Thomas Bentley, Knowles	Jacob Holt, Holts
Edmund Bury, Clough	Samuel Orrell, Orrell Fold
Samuel Butterworth	Lawrence Bentley, Cross Guns

All sworn

Presentment

of John Holt for not repairing Oven Field Lane.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Benjamin Hamer of Cross Guns for not repairing the fence from Revd Mr Probert's house to Walmsley Chapel.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Haslam as Surveyor of the Highways for not covering the ditch or sough from Betty Haslam's houses to Watchy Corner style.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Kay Esq: for not draining the water off the road in the village of Chapel Town.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Also for not opening the ditch bottom adjoining his plantation from the Tower Globes towards Mr Holt's house.

Amercement £1.

Constable William Tomlinson sworn

Affeerors { Thomas Wood, Orrells
Peter Cort, Horrobin Mill

Jury return themselves as special Constables who were all duly sworn.

8 May 1844. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors	Higher End		Lower End
	John Haslam, Meadowhead James Walsh, Kenyons John Orrell, Isherwood Samuel Crook, Bradleys Thomas Kershaw, Horridges George Hindle	All sworn	Peter Haslam, Birtenshaw Foreman William Smith, Pillings Hugh Horrocks, Globe Inn Wright Kay, Toppings George Haworth, Batteridge Charles Paulton, Stranger

Presentment

of James Leach of Holdens for non-attendance as juryman.

Amercement 5/-

of Benjamin Hamer for not opening the ditch bottom leading from Dimple Bar to the old Cross Guns.

Amercement 20/-

of George Millington for not repairing the road from the Tower Globes to near Mr Holt's house.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Crowshaw for not repairing the Tower Rake.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Affeerors { Thomas Kershaw, Samuel Crook } sworn

5 COURT of James Kay, Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

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1844.

George Millington, Lees	All sworn	James Kay, Chapel Town
John Ormrod, Cousin Fold		James Crowshaw, Tower
John Houghton, Great Oak		William Low, Toppings
James Knowles, Eagley Bank		Richard Ramsbottom, Holt
Richard Cronshaw, Dewhursts		John Knowles, Toppings
Henry Bromely, Goose Cote Hill		Samuel Haslam, Wood End

Presentment

of James Kay Esq: for not repairing his length of road from Ralph Longworth's house in Chapel Town towards the Church.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Millington for not repairing the road from the Tower Globes to the fence dividing the Lees from the Horrobin Mill Farm.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Cort for not repairing his road in Chapel Town and adjoining his land there.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Widow Horrocks for not repairing the foot road in Smithy Meadow in her occupation.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Jury find that the Pack Saddle Bridge at the Bottoms in Turton repairable by the County is in a ruinous and dangerous state and direct proceedings to be commenced against the parties liable to repair the same.

Jury direct and order that if the said roads be not repaired within the times prescribed the fines or amercements be levied upon the Goods and Chattels of the persons liable.

Affeerors { Richard Ramsbottom, Holt
James Kay, Chapel Town

Constable William Tomlinson

Presentment

of James Crowshaw for not repairing the road from Litherman's Bridge up Tower Rake belonging to him.

Amercement £1-19-11.

6 May 1845. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors	Higher End		Lower End
	Joseph Entwisle, Batteridge	sworn	James Walsh, Moss House
	Wm Entwisle		Henry Whitehead, Smithy House
	Jas Gregson, Top o'th' brow		James Fielding, Orrell Fold
	Jas Mayoh, Top o'th' Brow		Thomas Wood, Orrells
	Thos Marsh, Cox-green		Jos Brandwood, Chapel Town
	Jas Bury, Walches		Geo. Hindle

No presentments made.

7 November 1845. COURT of James Kay, Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors	Higher End	Lower End
	Daniel Mayoh, Army groves	John Kay, Edge
	Wm Haworth, Old Stewards	John Lee, Lees
	Ra. Longworth, Chapel Town	John Holt, Toppings
	Robert Mayoh, Three Lows	Arthur Kay
	Thos Wood, Orrells	Saml. Wood, Chapel Town
	John Knowles, Top of Turton	William Fielding

All sworn

William Tomlinson appointed Constable.

5 May 1846. COURT of James Kay, Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Appleton, Horrobin Mill	John Kershaw, Greens Arms
Robert Mayor, Three Lows	Thomas Bentley, Knows, Grindle End
John Isherwood, Hardmans	R. R. Holt, Hazle Bank
Richard Ramwell, Chapel Town	Ralph Howarth, Castlemans
P. Haslam, Burtenshaw	Thomas Wood, Windy Harbour
Samuel Crook, Grindle End	Jacob Holt, Holts
John Ormrod, Orrell Fold	Samuel Orrell, Orrell Fold
George Millington, Quarlton Vale	John Knowles, Haddocks

Presentment

of Booth Bridge for not repairing the road from the Three Lane Ends to the bottom of Smithy Meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Peter Cort for not repairing that part of the road from the stile to the Church Gates.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Revd Mr Spencer for not repairing the half-length of the road from Nathan Holt's gate to the Moss Wall.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Nathan Holt for not repairing his part of the road from his gate to the Moss Wall viz: half the above length on lower end.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Booth Bridge for not repairing that part of the road from the Smithy Meadow stile to the bridge at Edgworth Bottoms.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Affeerors { Samuel Wood
Richard Ramsbottom, Holt

Constables { William Fielding, Higher End
James Fielding, Lower End

Jury unanimously agree that the Court Leet of Turton is beneficial to the local interests of the township and earnestly request Mr Kay that it may be carried out in all its powers.

6 November 1846. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Appleton	Richard Ramwell
John Ormrod	Arthur Kay
John Knowles	John Kershaw
Thomas Wood	Samuel Wood
Peter Cort	William Thomasson
Booth Bridge	John Holt

Presentment

of Nathan Holt for not repairing the highroad in Turton from Moss Gate to a point at one half the distance between Moss Gate and Moss Wall.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Revd James Spencer for not repairing the highroad in Turton from Moss Wall to a point at one half the distance between Moss Wall and Moss Gate.

Amercement £1-19-11.

7 May 1847. COURT of James Kay Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

Richard Shuttleworth	Christ^r Jackson
John Ormrod	Booth Bridge
Thomas Wood	R. R. Holt
John Knowles	Peter Cort
Samuel Orrell	Wm Thomasson
John Kershaw	Saml Wood
Arthur Kay	

Presentment

of James Kay Esq: for not repairing that part of the highway from Lithermans Bridge to Mr Holt's house.

Amercement £1-19-11. Not rep^d.

Also that part of the road in Chapel Town from near Cheethams Arms to the new houses at present occupied by Mrs Brandwood.

Amercement £1-19-11. Rep^d.

of Betty Knowles for not repairing the fence at the bottom of Ouzle Nest Meadow.

Amercement £1-19-11. Rep[d].

of Jacob Holt for not repairing the fence from the railway to the top of Laurence's houses and also for not repairing the fence between Low and fold.

Amercement £1-19-11. Rep[d].

Affeerors	Peter Cort Samuel Orrell
Constables	William Tomlinson, Lower End Arthur Kay, Higher End
Impounder	Henry Bromiley

5 November 1847.

COURT of James Kay, Esq: before J. Winder, Steward.

Jurors

George Millington	Samuel Orrell
John Kershaw	John Holt
Thomas Wood	Thomas Briggs
John Knowles	James Bury
Peter Haslam	Peter Cort
Richard Ramwell	Jacob Holt
James Haslam	Saml Wood
	Robert Mayoh

Presentment

of Nathan Holt for not repairing that part of the road in Turton from the Gap to the gate going into his field and also from the gate to the end of Mary Holt's land.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Kay for not repairing that part of the road which lies between Idlemans Bridge and the Tower Globes.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Millington for not repairing from between the Tower Globes and M[r] R. R. Holts house and the ditches on either side.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Ralph Longworth for not making a fence wall from the end of his house in Chapel Town to Peter Cort's Meadow adjoining and also for not erecting a gate or other fence from the end of his house to Thomas Mellody's adjoining and also for not repairing the fence between his land and lands of James Kay adjoining.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Peter Cort and Samuel Orrell, the Afferors, having proved that James Kay had not repaired that part of the road near Litherman's Bridge, it is ordered that the sum of £1-19-11 at which he was amerced be levied by distress upon his Goods and Chattels.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned to Friday 17th December next to be held at the usual place in Chapel Town on that day at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

4 May 1848. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Ashworth Junr Steward

Jurors

George Millington	William Haworth
Thomas Wood	James Holt
John Knowles	Peter Cort
John Kershaw	James Dearden
William Entwisle	James Kay (Chapel Town)
Richard Ramwell	Thomas Briggs
	Robert Mayoh

Presentment

of James Kay Esq: for not repairing that part of the road from the Police Station to the sough that crosses the road leading into Peter Cort's meadow in Chapeltown.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of George Millington for not repairing the road from Tower Globes to Wm R. Holt's house.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of that part of the road from Litherman's Bridge to Tower Globes belonging to and in the occupation of James Kay Esq.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Haworth for not opening the ditch which lies on the right going to Bolton from Litherman's Bridge to Copy Meadow near Tower Globes.

Amercement 10/-

of Peter Cort for not repairing the road from the Church Gates to the Three Lane Ends.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Arthur Kay for not repairing that part of the road which lies between Moss Gate and the new road leading to Overhouses.

Amercement £1-19-11.

Affeerors	Samuel Wood Nathan Holt
Constables	William Tomlinson, Lower End Arthur Kay, Higher End
Impounder	Henry Bromiley

4 November 1848. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Ashworth Junr, Steward.

Jurors

George Millington	John Haslam
William Haworth	Arthur Kay
John Kershaw	John Kay
John Lee	Samuel Orrell
Robert Mayoh	William Entwisle
John Mason	John Gillies

5 May 1849. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Ashworth Junr, Steward.

Jurors

Samuel Wood, Foreman	William Haworth
James Haslam	James Wood, Holt
John Holt	John Lee
Booth Bridge	Andrew Kay
John Gray	Jona Haslam
William Mayoh	Thomas Cooper
	Eccles Almond

Presentment

of Edmund Ashworth for not repairing his portion of the fence wall between his land and John Knowles' Toppings.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of John Holt for not repairing the road from the top of a field called the Bent to the Stone Delf.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Betty Ormrod for not repairing her part of the road between Lower House Farm and Windy Harbour.

Amercement £1-19-0.

of Jacob Holt for not repairing the sough crossing opposite "King William" public-house on the highway.

Amercement £1-19.

3 November 1849.

COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Ashworth Jun. Steward.

Jurors

Thomas Wood	Peter Cort
John Knowles	William Brooks
Robert Mayoh	Samuel Wood
John Kershaw	Wm Howarth
Arthur Kay	Richard Turner
William Thomisson	William Entwisle

Presentment

of Booth Bridge for not re-opening the ditch-bottom from his farm-yard to the Three Lane Ends near.

Amercement £1.

of Nathan Holt of Chapeltown for not repairing that part of the road above Dr Bentley's house near the gate leading into his field and to repair the water-course across the road there.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of Richard Ramwell of Chapelton for not repairing the road near James Kay's shippon.

Amercement £1-19-11.

of James Kay of Chapeltown for not repairing the road near the Church Gates.

Amercement £1-17-4.

4 May 1850. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Ashworth Junr Steward.

Jurors

John Kay, Edge	Arthur Kay
Ecles Almond	James Holt
William Tomlinson	Wm Haworth
Samuel Lomax	Richard Turner
Andrew Kay	James Haslam
John Kay, Eagly	John Ormrod

Presentment

of James Kay Esq: for not repairing that part of the road between Tower Rake and Booth Bridge's road in the hollow of the said bridge.

Amercement £1-19-11.

to Mr Kay by the Jury, that owing to the increased carting on that part of the road from Turton Bottom Bridge leading to Three Lane Ends occupied by Booth Bridge. the expenses being too heavy for him to keep in repair the above road, he solicits the interference of this Court, also the attention of Mr Kay that he ought to the increasing traffic being continued upon since recompense should be awarded him [*sic*].

6 November 1850. COURT of James Kay Esq: before John Ashworth Jun. Steward.

Jurors

John Knowles	Andrew Barlow
Thomas Woods	John Kay, Edge
Wm Howarth	Richard Turner
William Fielding	Jona Haslam
Samuel Wood	Arthur Kay
Wm Horrocks	James Mills

Errata.

p. 63—In Jury List *for* "Willam" [Pilkington] *read* "William."

p. 129—*For* "Lomas" *read* "Lomax."

p. 164—Line 11, *for* "presises" *read* "premises."

p. 194—Line 4, *for* "Spophia" *read* "Sophia."

p. 239—*For* "Orell" [Fold] *read* "Orrell."

p. 254—Line 1, for "ard" *read* "Ward."

p. 259—Line 2, *after* "Thomas" *add* "Wood."

p. 272—In 1st Jury List, *for* "Huses" *read* "Houses."

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Technical and Dialect Words

FOUND IN RECORDS—WITH EXPLANATIONS.

[N.B.—The first appearance of the word is given].

A

Affeeror, p. 2—Assessor. From old French *afeurer*. Late Latin *afforare*, to fix the market price.

After, p. 46—Along the course of.

Ale Connor, p. 271—Ale trier. Old English *cunnian*, to try.

B

By law men, p. 54—More properly *Byr-law men*. The men who settled disputes according to the Law of the *Byr* or *village*. Norse *By*, Genitive *byr*.

E

Essoins, p. 120—"The allegation of an excuse for not appearing in Court at the appointed time" (N.E.D.) Mod. French *exoine*. Mid. Latin *ex-soniare*.

F

Fey, p. 212—Rubbish removed from the surface. Old Norse *faegja*—to cleanse, and so *fey* comes to mean that which is cleansed or cleared away.

Flash, p. 20—A pool or marshy place. Probably from Latin *flaccus*—soft. We speak of "a soft place," meaning "a muddy place." *Flash* and *Flosh* are very common Place-Names in Lancashire and Lakeland.

M

Meirstone, p. 20—Boundary-stone. Northumbrian *gimaera*.

Mise, p. 14—Tribute or tax or rate. Old French *mise*—literally means "a putting or placing." From verb *mettre*, therefore, "to put a tax on."

P

Plat, p. 41—A footbridge. Old French *Plat*—flat.

R

Rampart, p. 136—A mound of earth. French *se remparer*—to fortify one's self.

S

Scotch, p. 64—Of this word, so often used in these records, it has been found impossible to glean the meaning. Obviously it is not used in the same sense as "the scotch of a wheel," and it may be that we have to look at the original sense of the word, "to make a small incision," for the meaning. If so it might imply (and the context sometimes bears this out) a cut made in the road to carry water to the channel on the other side.

Shittering—Having diarrhœa.

Sniddle, p. 20—Long coarse grass growing in marshy places.

T

Through, p. 94—A hole cut through a hedge for the passage of water.

Turbary, p. 80—Right of getting Turf. From Latin *turba*—turf.

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